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Germany is Doomed, Says the New York Times British and French Press Onward--Servians Re-Occupy Belgrade in Complete Triumph

VICTORIOUS SERVANS MAKE A TRIUMPHAL ENTRY INTO BELGRADE

Official Statement Announces the Formal Re-Occupation of Belgrade by King Peter's Troops--Austrians Have Fled Across the Danube and Save Rivers in Great Disorder--Two British Warships Waiting for the "Dresden"

Belgrade, Dec. 15.—An official statement issued here today formally announces the re-occupation of Belgrade by the troops of King Peter. The statement declares that the Austrians now hold only Subotica and Lomza in Serbia. These two towns are on the extreme northwestern part of Serbia, at the junction of the Drina and Save Rivers. The statement says:

"The enemy had fled across the Danube and Save Rivers in great disorder. The triumphal entry of the Serbian troops into Belgrade was marked by scenes of indescribable enthusiasm. King Peter has received messages of congratulations from all of his allies."

Waiting for the Dresden

Roscoe Ayres, Dec. 15.—Two British cruisers are today reported to be in the Straits of Hagelien, off Punta Arenas, where they are waiting for the German cruiser Dresden, the sole survivor of the squadron of Admiral Von Spee which engaged the British fleet of Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee, off the Falkland Islands.

AUSTRIA PLEADED FOR PEACE RUSSIA'S REPLY ISOLATES GERMANY

St. Petersburg, Dec. 15.—Austria, in the most diplomatic manner, has made a tentative peace proposal to Russia, but exchanges between the two governments in which Russia made known the terms that should be demanded, were without result. Steps towards a peace proposal (which never by the suggestion was conveyed to Russia) that peace was desirable. In reply to the proposal of Austria, Russia indicated that peace would be made when peace is ultimately desired.

THE WHITBY MURDER NO NEARER SOLUTION THAN ON MORNING AFTER

Whitby, Dec. 15.—Another lead had made its appearance in the Whitby murder case, this time of a mysterious Italian brigand who wandered up and down for several hours outside the Italian camp at the Whitby Hospital for the Insane.

Michael Bann, interpreter at the Toronto police court, paid a visit to the camp today and found there an Italian named Antonio Pannoni, who claimed to have seen the brigand on his nocturnal wanderings. Pannoni has been ill for the past few weeks and was still confined to his bed when Mr. Bann called today.

Shadow Passed the Window.
"I was lying awake that night," he told Mr. Bann in Italian, "and could not seem to get to sleep. Late at night, I do not know what time, a shadow passed the window, and then appeared. At first I thought it was one of the men of the camp who had left the building, because he could not sleep and was walking up and down. It seemed strange, for the night was very cold."

"Then I told myself it was one of the brigands waiting to get in to get warm. I knew that it could not be one of our own men for some one had taken into the tent-house. Bye and bye he went away."

Did Not See His Face.
"No, I did not see his face, that only of the shadow crossing to and fro past the window."

"Since then I have wondered if I could have been he who did the murder. I do not know." That was the latest remark of Mr. Bann's trip. No Italian from the camp were away from the building that night. A note have left within the past few weeks. The camp is a Government one, engaged on the laying of sewers at the asylum.

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Forward Movement of the Allies All Along the Front Continues

London, Dec. 15.—A continued attack of the British and French on the line between the railway leading from Ypres to Lille and the main highway between these two points, is reported in a statement issued by the war office today. Several of the German trenches have been captured and substantial progress is declared to have been made. The statement from the war office says: "After a period of comparative quiet fighting has been resumed in northern France. The allies made a combined attack yesterday on a line from Houthulst to Wytschaete. Several of the German trenches and a number of prisoners were taken. Substantial progress was made. Houthulst is on the railway line from Ypres to Lille; Wytschaete is on the main highway. The British attack was therefore along a front of about three miles and on a line about one-fourth of the distance from Ypres to Lille. London, Dec. 15.—A dash south of Ypres, which resulted in the capture of several German trenches and the occupation by the British of a new position in a woods five miles from that town and ten miles from Lille today, brought special attention in the statements from both the British and the French war offices. By this attack to the south of Ypres toward Lille, the allies are endeavoring to widen the wedge which stands out in the German line in the region of Ypres. The drive now vividly starting southward toward Lille, if successful, would necessitate a German retirement along the line in Belgium. It is believed here. Reports from Belgium have declared that for some time there have been evidences that the Germans were preparing to fall back to a new line running from Bruges to Courtrai. The success of the southern movement, such as the allies indicated today, may be either way, and would undoubtedly result in such a retirement of the Germans in order that their line might remain intact. The weakening at any one point in the line to strengthen a position being violently attacked, would probably result in the allies breaking through at the weakest point.

PORT ARTHUR MAKES SHELLS FOR BRITAIN

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 15.—The Western Drydock and Shipbuilding Co. has received an order for shells and munitions of war for the British Government to the amount of \$100,000. The company has for some time been working on a proposition to get order for construction of submarines. The Port Arthur Wagon Works are almost continuously making transport wagons for the army.

DUKE WILL INSPECT KINGSTON TROOPS.

Kingston, Dec. 15.—It was announced at military headquarters this afternoon that the Duke of Cornwall would pay an official visit to Kingston on Friday and would review the 21st Overseas Battalion, and 22nd, Battery, and also the cadets of the Royal Military College. Premier Gordon is expected here to meet the soldiers within the next ten days.

RUSSIANS WIN NIGHT BATTLES

Petrograd, Dec. 15.—via London.—German frontal attacks on the Russian line to the west of Warsaw under cover of night, were successfully repulsed by the Russians, according to trustworthy information reaching Petrograd from the front today. At many points, say the front the Russians succeeded in capturing isolated German positions.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The Boy's Department of the Y.M.C.A. will be a real live place when the boys get their Christmas holidays. A fine program has been arranged for the boys consisting of a Christmas, Chess and Billiard Tournament. Extra guests will be invited, and everything done to accommodate the large number of boys who will be at the rooms, attending, afternoon and evening for twelve days.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 23rd, the boys will have their Christmas tree. This is the only big night in the "Y" for the boys. A large tree is to be decorated with presents, and the boys are to be invited to bring their own. The tree will be decorated with presents, and the boys are to be invited to bring their own. The tree will be decorated with presents, and the boys are to be invited to bring their own.

A large number of the boys' Christmas trees will be decorated for this week. The boys' department has been very successful in its work. The boys' department has been very successful in its work. The boys' department has been very successful in its work.

FEAT OF BRITISH SUBMARINE SURPASSES ALL NAVAL RECORDS

Submarine B11 Demonstrated the Efficiency of Britain's Underwater Craft in the Face of Big Odds--The Valor and Daring of British Commander Stands Supreme--When Opportunity Offers British Naval Men Rise to the Occasion

New York, Dec. 15.—A London cable to the Herald this morning says: Even greater than the rejoicing which followed the victory of Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick B. Sturdee in the North Atlantic last week was the measure of enthusiasm throughout the United Kingdom yesterday which greeted the official announcement of the daring exploit of the British submarine B11.

With the stealth of a panther and daring which surpasses everything hitherto recorded in British naval history, the B11, commanded by Lieutenant-Commander Norman B. Holbrook, of the Royal Navy, braved destruction by five separate chains of mines laid in the most treacherous of currents and sent the Turkish battleship Mesudiye to the bottom of the Dardanelles.

THE NEW YORK TIMES CONTENDS THAT THE DOOM OF GERMANY IS ASSURED

New York, Dec. 15.—The New York Times is out today with the strongest anti-German editorial published in the United States since the war began. It says that just a few months ago the world only dimly comprehended Germany. Now it knows her thoroughly. For the sake of their own peace and safety the world's great nations must demolish that towering giant.

WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH THE BOARD OF TRADE?

The Board of Trade was scheduled to meet in active business session last night. Exactly five members put in an appearance, and consequently the deliberations on the question of local taxation carried no authoritative weight from a Board of Trade standpoint. It is a pity that, a lack of interest in our Board of Trade should be so glaringly pronounced.

PARIS EXPECTS EARLY ATTACK FROM FLEET OF GERMAN ZEPPELINS

Paris, Dec. 15.—Paris experienced a "Zeppelin chill" today. Shortly after midnight practically all the lights in the city were suddenly extinguished. Only a few small gas lights marked the darker street corners, and a single lamp illuminated the approaches to the bridge over the Seine. Reports were circulated that the military authorities had received information that the city was threatened by German Zeppelins. The reports as to the Zeppelins which were said to be approaching piled the number of aircraft from ten to three.

VIENNA HAS TO ADMIT DEFEAT

Vienna, Dec. 15.—via London.—The abandonment of Belgrade by the Austrians is acknowledged by an official statement given out at army headquarters today. The statement follows: In the southern theater of the war the retirement of our right wing involved a change in the military situation which made it inadvisable for us to abandon Belgrade, which was evacuated without fighting.

LENSTERS PRESENT MUSKETRY TROPHY

London, Dec. 15.—There was a very interesting ceremony at Westminster yesterday when Mrs. Crisp wife of Major-General F. Crisp, Colonel of the Lenster Regiment, presented to Lord Col. Barrill and the other officers of the Lenster Regiment a handsome silver shield as a memento trophy. It was presented by the first and second battalions of the Lensters as gifts to the Irish Royal Grenadiers, Royal Irish Rifles, and the Lenster Lenster Regiment. The trophy was presented by the first and second battalions of the Lensters as gifts to the Irish Royal Grenadiers, Royal Irish Rifles, and the Lenster Lenster Regiment.

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These letters are not exceptional; they are typical of those being received nearly every day.



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THE TURKS
DREAD THE
BAYONET

New York, Dec. 14.—Efforts are being made to induce Germany and Austria, concerning the progress of the Austro-German campaign. This is the only possible interpretation of the public salute which has been offered to the Austrians by Russia's war and official report of the conditions in the war zone. The immediate cause of the German outbreak is probably the collapse of the Austro-German offensive in Serbia. There is much mystery about Serbia's counter offensive which is now so successfully developing. Serbia is apparently pushing Austria out of the country again.

Turks March Reluctantly Through Snow

London, Dec. 14.—Friedrich Reppert, the Daily News's correspondent, writes from Petrograd:

"Wounded Russian officers in this hospital describe the extraordinary physical endurance of the Turks, who march bravely through the snow and shoot steadily or javelling but rarely from trenches. They only dread bayonet charges. The Turks are said to have lost very heavily."

A BRITISH
SUBMARINE
IS MAKING

London, Dec. 14.—The Admiralty today announced that the Turkish battleship *Messiah* has been torpedoed and sunk in the Dardanelles. The *Messiah* was attacked and sunk by a British submarine yesterday.

The *Messiah* was an old battleship carrying six hundred men. She was built in 1873, and constructed in Germany in 1901. Her displacement was about 10,000 tons.

The *Messiah* was sunk by the British submarine *B11*. In accomplishing the feat the vessel dived under 6 fathoms of water. After launching the torpedo which struck the Turkish war ship, the submarine escaped.

The submarine *B11* was in command of Lieutenant Commander Bickford, and was built in 1902. The report of her feat is the first of her kind. "Although the *B11* was only after her first attack on the *Messiah* was she able to sink the *Messiah* was due to the skill of the crew."

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INFANTRY WEAPONS

Infantry arms consist of the rifle, bayonet and machine gun. The "pom-pom," which figured so much in South Africa, has been withdrawn. The service machine gun is the Vickers machine, which will fire a continuous stream of bullets at the rate of 600 a minute, or 10 bullets every second, at ranges of from 500 to 1,500 yards.

The machine weighs 60 pounds, and its lightness enables it to be carried anywhere the troops can go. It can be taken along roads on wheels, across country on pack animals, or it needs be, shouldered by a single soldier right up into the firing line.

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CONTINUED
RUSSIAN
SUCCESSSES

There are two relatives of the poor laureates living in Canada. These are the Misses Bridges, nieces of the doctor, who have a five-acre ranch in a delightful part of British Columbia, near Mission City. These two ladies, came from England some years ago and bought land in British Columbia and have led a retired life since that time, raising chickens and gardening. Naturally they are greatly pleased with the honor recently conferred upon their uncle, Dr. Robert Bridges by Premier Asquith, in appointing him poet laureate.

Petrograd, Dec. 14.—Continued success in the operations in the Caucasus is claimed in an official statement issued today, which says: "Through-out December 11 there was fighting in front of the villages of Pyrcovsk, Buzze and Dostak. The enemy was everywhere repulsed and pursued beyond the Euphrates, with severe losses."

London, Dec. 14.—A Petrograd dispatch to The Times says: "Advices from the front at Erzurum Turkish Armenia, describe the position of 20,000 Christians there as precarious, because of the Russian sympathies. These hundred thousand Turkish troops are mobilized at Erzurum. Hundreds of Armenians have been imprisoned and many of them hanged in the streets, without trial, as examples. Nevertheless, remarkable anti-war demonstrations have been held in Erzurum, on one occasion the jailing lasted for several hours."

Berlin, Dec. 14.—Today's official statement announces that the Russians are putting up a stubborn resistance in Central Poland, although it says that the Germans are making favorable progress.

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(2) About 500,000 shares of the stock have already been sold, and are now in the hands of the investing public.

(3) The Directors' and Officers' stock is all paid.

(4) The Company is the holder of petroleum and natural gas leases on over 7,000 acres of land in the Province of Alberta.

(5) The Directors, Officers and Solicitors of the Company are all reliable and conscientious business men who have the welfare of the company at heart, and who desire in every manner in their power to give the public a square run for their money.

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(13) British Canadian shares are listed on the three Calgary exchanges, and are very active traders.

(14) The price of British Canadian shares is very low at the present time; we expect to see it go much higher.

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Little Trivia Reported to by Outsiders on Regent Order Mart—Titles Supplied From 1890 to 1900

The audacity of the plausible swindler who haunts the best Continental hotels and pretenses to have titles for sale, accompanied with full documentary evidence as to their genuineness, is not the least remarkable characteristic of those who carry on this bogus business.

Take the case, for instance, of the three Germans who were arrested in Paris, charged with carrying on an open traffic in bogus orders and decorations. Tying rooms at one of the best hotels, they ingratiated themselves with various other residents to whom they displayed bags full of decorations, such as the beautiful insignia of the Order of the Golden Fleece, the Garter, the Legion of Honor, and the Order of Isabella the Catholic. They even had a catalogue of prices which ranged from \$40 to \$4,000, the latter being the price of a Legion of Honor.

The three swindlers claimed to be chamberlains of European Royal households, and thus able to influence the granting of decorations through their connections with Ambassadors and influential persons, and they were doing quite a thriving trade until they were denounced to the police by a suspicious customer, who discovered that the titles and decorations they had for sale were quite bogus.

A Berlin Scandal
The case recalls the Berlin scandal of some years ago, when an impoverished member of the aristocracy hit upon the idea of replenishing his pocket by posing as an influential member of the Diplomatic Service, who was in a position to obtain any decoration or order required.

The gullible quickly swallowed the bait, and it was only when the bogus titles and orders were exposed, that the swindler was discovered.

These swindlers are really made possible by the fact that foreign countries, although they do not openly advertise their readiness to do business with those who aspire to affix a handle to their names, carry on, in a quiet manner, a considerable trade in titles. Some time ago, for instance, a great sensation was caused in the Hungarian Diet by the vigorous indictment of Franz Kossuth, the son of the famous patriot, who exposed the fact that the Government had raised no less than \$1,450,000 for its political campaign fund by selling titles and orders, several wealthy Jews having been made barons with decorations bestowed upon them in return for cash payments of \$500,000 each.

Widespread Traffic
This method of raising money, of course, is not unknown to political parties in this country, but we have not yet gone as far as Italy, who will make your prince or a duke for \$5,000 and a marquess for \$3,500, while the title of count will cost you \$1,500 and that of baron \$1,250.

"The King of Greece does a rather prosperous trade in the Order of the Red Star, which can be had for \$300, while Servia bestows the Order of Takova for a like sum.

The widespread traffic done in titles may be gathered from the fact that a German firm trading in Sweden, sends out a circular marked "Private and confidential," offering to secure any orders and decorations required. The list includes Papal honors—the Pope does a little business in titles, and will make you a count for \$2,500 or a baron for \$1,250—as well as honors of Persia, Turkey, Spain, Portugal, Roumania, and Austria, the cost of which varies considerably.

ECENTRIC RUSSIAN'S WILL

A Year and a Day of Close Confinement Necessary to Get Legacy

A few years ago an eccentric Russian, Countess Anstrigilski, died and left a bequest of \$1,200 a year for life to any person who shuts himself up in a tomb at Père Lachaise for twelve months and a day. The first man to attempt this torture has become a ravaging lunatic. The one who undertakes this is offered lodging in a stone cell built over the Countess Anstrigilski's vault, and he must never leave the abode day or night for a year and a day. He may not communicate with any person in the outside world save the person who brings his food, water, and clothing. And he may never have a light. A dismal prospect even at the thought of a yearly income of \$1,200.

Such a terrible day has been lived in the past.

Winter Season

Open January 1st to 15th at the PETERBOROUGH COLLEGE, Peterborough, Ontario. One of the best of its kind in the world. You are invited to visit the school and see the kind of work which brings high success. Address W. H. SHAW, President.

FAMOUS PHRASES AND THEIR ORIGIN

Some Everyday Expressions Have Come Down to Us From the Time of the Caesars

The average person probably does not know the origin of half the common phrases used in ordinary conversation.

No less a person than Cicero first made use of the expression, "While there's life, there's hope," in a letter he wrote to Atticus. "We are in the same boat" is not modern slang, but occurs in a letter written by Clement I., Bishop of Rome, to the Church of Corinth in the first century. This letter is still in existence.

"I never put off till to-morrow what I can do to-day," was Lord Chesterfield's explanation of how he managed to do so much work. "Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well," he wrote later in the famous "Letters to His Son."

Lord Eldon, Lord Chancellor of England during the first twenty-six years of the nineteenth century, continually mispronounced the name of Henry Brougham, afterward to be a successor in the Chancellor's office. Brougham objected to being called Brouham, and once, after Brougham had made a speech, Eldon, by way of apology, pronounced his name correctly and made a proverb, "New brooms sweep clean."

"No man is a hero to his valet" has been paraphrased by scores, from Madame de Corneille, a witty Frenchwoman of the seventeenth century, to Dr. Johnson and Napoleon. The first record of it, however, is found in Plutarch, who states that when Hieronotus addressed a poem to the King of Persia, calling him as son of the sun and a god, the monarch replied, "My body-servant sings me no such song."

The phrase "circumstances over which he has no control" was used by the Duke of Wellington in a letter concerning some affairs in which his son was mixed up, and with which he declined to interfere.

"Conspicuous by their absence" has been used on many occasions in modern oratory. It was first used by Tacitus in relating that in the funeral procession of Julia, niece of Octavian, sister of Brutus, wife of Cassius, many of the images of the most famous Romans in Rome were seen, but "Cassius and Brutus alone were absent because their images were not displayed."

"Nothing is certain but death and taxes," wrote Benjamin Franklin, stating that the Constitution of the United States was in operation and to all appearances would last.

"Those who live in glass houses should not throw stones," was said by James I. of England, when his favorite, the Duke of Buckingham, complained that a mob had broken his glass windows, which were at that time luxury. "Mind your P's and Q's" is said to have been taken from an old French phrase at the time of Louis XIV. A very low bow was in fashion, and the dancing master, instructing his pupils, would warn them to "mind your P's and Q's" in the position of the feet and the movement of the head, lest their graceful steps be disarranged. The French word for foot is pied. "Mind your P's and Q's," soon came to be translated into English, and abbreviated.

FORCE OF EXPLOSION

Amazing Freak of Geoligite in British Columbia

It seems incredible that an explosion could be of such force as to cause an ordinary steel rail to snap itself twice around the trunk of a large tree; yet there was just such a result from the discharge of geoligite at Nanaimo, British Columbia. Twelve workmen lost their lives by this explosion. The rail was lying on the ground fully thirty feet from the spot at which the explosion occurred; yet it was flung into the air, went in the direction of the tree, and twisted round the trunk, just as if it had been a piece of piano wire. It was so tightly wrapped about the trunk that it cut deeply into the green wood and caused great splinters to start out on all sides. The explosive responsible for this unique occurrence is one of the most powerful preparations known, composed of nitrocellulose, nitrobenzene, sodium nitrate, sodium carbonate, and wood pulp.

How do Animals Know?

One of the mysteries still unsolved is that of the sense by which the lower animals become aware of the approach of earthquakes. For three or four days before the severe earthquake at Guadalajara, Mexico, the many parrots of the city showed great and unusual restlessness, and during the period of disturbance the increased cries of the birds gave warning of the oncoming of the worst shock. Hairs, also, became alarmed, fleeing from the city before the earthquake came. Superstition has to find such things hardly gives satisfactory explanation, for modern seismographs are very sensitive, and it is quite unlikely that tremors too slight to be recorded would be felt so strongly as to give alarm.—"Science Digest."

Transparent Auto Curtains
New automobile side curtains are made of celluloid glass set in a frame so that they are practically transparent when they are in use.

A New Ball Game
In a new French game a ball rolled down a groove and made a curved track which turned it back into one of a number of holes.

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Production of Copper in New Mexico Jumped from 1430 Tons in 1911 to 28,000 Tons in 1913

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German Cruisers Bombard British Seaports Big Battle in North Sea Thought to be in Progress—British Fleet Shells Westende

BRITISH FLEET SHELL WESTENDE BELGIANS REPULSE GERMAN ATTACK

The Paris War Office Reports Considerable Activity on the Part of the Allies, French Win Advantage in Artillery Duels—Belgians Occupy Important Positions on the Left Bank of the Yser River

Paris, France, Dec. 16.—A violent bombardment of Westende by the British warships, which drove back the German gunboats, was reported in today's official communiqué. The statement indicates the greatest activity in the western war zone. It was asserted that the Belgians fought a constant attack by the Germans and repulsed them along the left bank of the Yser. In the region of Arras, the Allies and Germans in artillery duels were continuously in progress, the French obtaining an advantage at several points. In the Western region the French are declared to have repulsed several attacks.

German Plan for Invasion.
London, Dec. 16.—Four German cruisers took part in the bombardment. The German plan for the invasion of England has long been reported to include a dash across the North Sea by the fleet, carrying troops. With the fleet was engaged with the British in the North Sea. The German plan for the invasion of England has long been reported to include a dash across the North Sea by the fleet, carrying troops. With the fleet was engaged with the British in the North Sea.

KAISER WILHELM REPORTED TO BE SUFFERING FROM DIPHTHERIA

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Ready for Staggering Movement.
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THE RESULTS OF CHRISTMAS EXAMINATIONS IN COLLEGIATE

Following are the results of the Christmas examinations at the Collegiate Institute:
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German Raiding Cruisers Attack Two British Seaports

London, Eng., Dec. 16.—The British ports of Scarborough and Hartlepool on the North Sea were shelled by some German war ships today. The Admiralty announced the attack upon the towns and added that the British patrol flotillas have been engaged at various points.

The Admiralty statement states in addition the fact that the home flotillas have been engaged and that the "situation is developing."

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Scarborough is one of the most famous seaports of England. It is situated on a headland extending into the North Sea. It is situated on a headland extending into the North Sea.

Hartlepool is 19 miles south-east of Durham. It is on the south side of an almost isolated promontory in the North Sea. Hartlepool has an extensive system of docks and is a shipping centre of considerable importance.

Scarborough is 41 miles south of Hartlepool. The former port is directly across the North Sea from the German naval base at Kiel.

"The situation is still developing." It may be expected that the attack upon the two ports will be continued with some decision has been reached.

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ASA HUYCKES MINSTRELS GIVE A GOOD PROGRAM

Last night the Conservatory of Music hall was well filled. The concert was a splendidly rendered concert. The concert was a splendidly rendered concert. The concert was a splendidly rendered concert.

KING PETER OF SERBIA ENTERS BELGRADE AT HEAD OF HIS ARMY

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WHITBY MURDER MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED, NO TRACE OF FINGER PRINT

Berlin Expert's Result of Examination of Blood Marks—The Victim Was Seated When Shot—Stone Was on Friendly Terms With the Italian Community. No Sign of Any Weapons.

Toronto, Dec. 16.—William Stone, the G.F.R. operator at Whitby, was seated when the fatal shot was fired, and the murderer was considerably closer to his victim at the time than was first thought. It is the gist of Provincial Detective Inspector Green's report, received by the authorities in Toronto today. The report states that the murderer was seated when the fatal shot was fired, and the murderer was considerably closer to his victim at the time than was first thought.

The Bertillon expert for the Dominion Government, Mr. Edward Foster, who examined the supposed handprint left by Stone's murderer, has reported that there is no trace of a finger mark on the blood-stained wall.

Dr. Michael Beane, Italian interpreter in the Police Court, who returned to Toronto from Whitby last night, is of the opinion that the shooting and killing of Operator William Stone was done by a tramp, that the murderer was not premeditated and that in all likelihood the man that fired the shot did not intend to strike his victim.

The report from the War Office does not agree with the stories told by the refugees from Scarborough. They declare that German raiding parties participated in the bombardment of the town.

From Whitby it is also stated that two raiding parties were engaged instead of one, and that the hotel where the victim was seated was destroyed.

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THE GALLANT MUSCORTES WIN TWO MORE VICTORIES FROM THE FOE

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CHEAP XMAS PRESENTS

See the beautiful pictures in the Times Bookstore window. They are copies of art masterpieces and are selling at 10c each, or 10 for \$1.00. Just the thing for Xmas presents.

Large Room To Rent

In the Broadway Block, on Broadway Street, is a large room vacant on the first floor. This room, 60x100 feet, has two ante rooms attached. Suitable for club or social purposes. Apply to Mrs. Sawyer.

FOR SALE

Vacuum Cleaner, entirely new, never having been used. Cost \$15. Will sell very cheap. Apply at The Times office.

The Police Court

Only one case occupied the attention of the Police Court yesterday. That was a local Chinese laundryman who pleaded guilty to having ridden his bicycle on the sidewalk. He was fined \$5 and costs.

Tax on Joy Riders

Local auto owners are gambling what is going to be done in the way of putting the license on motor vehicles. The proposed plan is to charge for every car 25 cents per year or under \$100 per head and a dollar for each additional horse power.

The Home Guard

The Peterborough Civilian Rifle Association Home Guard have now a number of over 500 men. The committee and officers are actively arranging details for further work. It is of the utmost importance that all members be present tonight at the Armory, to receive the new badges which are very appropriate.

A Kilmount Accident

Kilmount was the scene of a very serious accident at the school in that place a few days ago, when Mr. M. McClelland, contacted by a lady friend, was driving the pupils for a Xmas entertainment. It seems that the car was in one of the ditches. One young girl brought her brother's 25 cents and not knowing it was loaded presented the gun and pulled the trigger with the rest of the pupils. The gun went off and entered the arm of Miss Maggie McEwen, daughter of Mr. Fred McEwen, of Kilmount, causing a nasty wound.

Visiting Peterborough

London, Eng., Dec. 15.—(Lancet.) Miss McEwen, of Vancouver, who was with the first Canadian

contingent as Quarter-Master Sergeant, and has since been given a commission in the 70th Battalion, east Lancashire Regt., has been promoted to Adjutant of this regiment. . . . Adm. McEwen was a guest at the Oriental Hotel on the 20th of May last and is well known by a number of people in Peterborough.

An Apology

In our issue of yesterday we stated that there were only five members of the Board of Trade at Tuesday's meeting. This was incorrect. The Board of Trade had a well attended meeting and we were misled owing to the following circumstances:

The Board of Trade has always met in the Council Chamber on Tuesday night at nine o'clock. A Times reporter went to the Council Chamber to report this Board's meeting. Only five men met in the room usually occupied by the members. Our reporter sitting beside a George Street merchant, remarked to the latter, "There's a very small meeting of the Board tonight." The merchant, on being asked, "Is there much doing tonight?" replied "Oh no, nothing doing." Our reporter then left. The Board was holding a session in the police court. In this connection we might add that prior to the inception of the Board's present officers, the press was in all courtesy notified by post card of any meeting. Mr. T.G. Quartermaine always saw to that. Since Mr. Quartermaine's retirement from the secretaryship of the Board of Trade, speaking from our own experience, the press has to ascertain as best it can when and where the Board of Trade meets. In public interests, we respectfully offer that the Secretary of the Board of Trade should notify the press of all meetings of his association, in which event customary courtesies will be extended.

Social and Personal

Reading of the Times on December 15th at 10 o'clock in the evening at the home of Mrs. J. H. O'Brien.

Lindsay Post: Mr. H. J. O'Brien of Peterborough, Separate School Inspector is in town on an inspection trip.

Miss R. Patterson, of Calgary is guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. O'Brien, 270 Brook Street.

Little Miss Helen Lamb, Aymer Street, entertained about 25 of her little girl friends on Tuesday evening to a birthday party.

Rev. E. Vickers Stevenson of Plainfield, N.J., is in the city the guest of his mother, Mrs. Stevenson, of 384 Blenheim Street. Mrs. Stevenson, whose health has for some time not been satisfactory, will return with her son to reside for a time in Plainfield.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Lindsay's "Bambino" Banner sold \$65 for the Home Baked Fund.

Take in Adjutant McEwen's concert for the unemployed benefit in S. O.E. Hall tonight.

Lindsay Curling Rink has been flooded preparatory for the winter of snow and ice.

Lindsay Council is trying to get the C.P.R. to continue the north Calgary train which has been taken off the schedule.

A prominent local doctor so says a rumor, is soon going to join the great army of Benedictine. He thinks that Hilbrook will raise the famous flowers over him.

When you see a gentleman meet a friend, these days, and shake hands as though he had not a long lost brother, it's a safe bet he is a candidate for Municipal honors.

A committee composed of Messrs. J. Hamilton, R. Fair, W.C. Anderson, W.B. Dodd, A.P. Tomlin, J.J. Duffin and B.D. Hall has been organized to deal with the matter of procuring war contracts for Peterborough manufacturers.

Chief of Police Thompson has applied to the City Council for permission to appeal against a decision of Magistrate Dumble who dismissed a case of "gambling in a Chinese restaurant."

TOM MARKS STOCK CO. COMING TO THE GRAND

It is some time since Tom Marks, the clever comedian, played in Peterborough, and we feel assured that he will receive a royal welcome on Monday next, when he arrives in Peterborough to play a week's engagement at the Grand Opera House. Mr. Marks has all new plays, and a first class company, and the prices are only 10c, 25c, and 50c. Don't forget to attend the opening night, Monday Dec. 21st. Seats on sale at Box Office on Friday morning.

Minerals in Alberta

A recent report from Edmonton stated that 50 tons of commercial mica was taken out of chimneys on Mica Mountain, near Tete Jaune. The mica is of excellent quality. Samples from the vein under development took first prizes at Paris, 1900; Glasgow 1902; and St. Louis, 1904.

Contraband Articles

The British government has issued an order specifying an absolute contraband of war: Arms of all kinds, clothing and harness of a military character, animals suitable for war purposes, foodstuffs, fuel, harness and telegraphs and field glasses.

AUSTRIA'S TENTATIVE PROPOSAL

News, Dec. 15.—Austria, in the usual diplomatic manner, has made a tentative peace proposal to Russia, but exchanges between the two governments in which Russia, though known to have been consulted, were without result. Austria's proposal was made today. There was no official proposal (this was said) and the suggestion was supposed to have been made by the Austrian press.

BRITISH PUBLIC ARE CONFIDENT IN THEIR NAVY

New York, Dec. 15.—A London cable to the Herald this morning says: Even greater than the rejoicing which followed the victory of Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick D. Sturges in the South Atlantic last week was the welcome of enthusiasm throughout the

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United Kingdom yesterday which greeted the official announcement of the daring exploit of the British submarine Bill.

With the stealth of a panther and daring which surpasses anything hitherto recorded in British navy history, the Bill, commanded by Lord Commander Norman B. Hallbrook, of the Royal Navy, braved destruction by five separate charges of mines laid in the most treacherous of currents and sent the Turkish battleship Hamidieh to the bottom of the Dardanelles.

As a just reward for such intrepidity, Lord-Commander Hallbrook and his crew engaged in their "submarine" craft, running the gauntlet of heavy gun-fire from other warships of the

Turkish fleet and the shore forts. Of course as a living thing, the submarine diver, manœuvred, came to the surface and dived again, finally emerging unharmed from the guns, pursuing diversions, and difficult currents.

The feat of the Bill has served to convince the British public of one fact concerning which there might have been a lingering doubt. It is that the efficiency of the British submarine is as great as that of the German, and that when opportunity presents itself the British commanders may be relied upon to dare as great dangers as have hitherto been dreamed of.

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Do you desire to make large profits on your investment in Alberta Oil Shares?

If you do you must use good judgment in the selection of the companies in which you invest.

In order that you may use this good judgment it is absolutely necessary that you investigate and analyze a company thoroughly before placing your money in its shares.

In order that you may do this in the case of the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., we hereby give you the information we have secured through our rigid investigation and analysis of said company, and in giving this information we would say that we believe it is correct in every detail.

- (1) The British Canadian Oil, Ltd., is incorporated for \$1,000,000; 10,000,000 shares at the par value of 10c.
- (2) About 500,000 shares of the stock have already been sold, and are now in the hands of the investing public.
- (3) The Directors' and Officers' stock is all paid.
- (4) The Company is the holder of petroleum and natural gas leases on over 7,000 acres of land in the Province of Alberta.
- (5) The Directors, Officers and Solicitors of the Company are all reliable and conscientious business men who have the welfare of the company at heart, and who desire in every manner in their power to give the public a square deal for their money.
- (6) The Company is now working on Section 31, Township 24, Range 4, an up-to-date combination rotary and standard rig.
- (7) The Company expects to commence drilling inside of 3 days, and continue with all possible dispatch.
- (8) The Company has secured as Field Superintendent a man who knows his business thoroughly.
- (9) The said Superintendent has engaged competent drillers to carry out his instructions.
- (10) The treasury of the Company is now well financed.
- (11) A reputable local geologist in reporting on adjoining property makes the following statement in said report:

"There is a plunging tendency in the crest of the anticline which causes its crest to sink toward the Elbow river. The crest of this dome-shaped structure seems to be in the neighborhood of Section 31, of Township 24, and Section 6 of Township 25."

- (12) A reputable petroleum engineer in reply to an enquiry from us, stated that the lease held by the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., in Section 31, is situated on the most perfect anticline he has seen in Western Alberta.
- (13) British Canadian shares are listed on the three Calgary exchanges, and are very active traders.
- (14) The price of British Canadian shares is very low at the present time; we expect to see it go much higher.

In view of the above information secured by us, we have no hesitation whatever in advising you to at once buy the shares of the British Canadian Oil, Limited, at 15c per share, believing that you will get a square deal for your money, and big profits on your investment.

We are prepared to fill your orders for British Canadian shares at 15c each, but this price is subject to raise without notice. Any new strike in the oil field, or any other exciting report might send this stock to a very high price. We would suggest that you wire us at our expense and let your remittance follow, or if you prefer, write us and enclose your remittance.

Our market letter giving information on the Alberta Oil Fields is free for the asking. Write for it.

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German Suffer Defeat in Flanders—German Raid on Unfortified Coast Cities Stimulates Recruiting—Admiralty's Policy Unchanged

SPIES IN SCARBOROUGH REPORTED TO HAVE DIRECTED FIRE OF FOE

Flash-Light Signalling Seen on Tuesday Night. Damage Done by Raiding Cruisers Estimated at About \$200,000. Admiralty Closes Traffic Between Flamborough Head and Newcastle

Scarborough, Eng., Dec. 17.—A vigorous search is being made in Scarborough today for spies. Reports of mysterious flash-light signalling seen on Tuesday night before the bombardment by German warships, have reached the authorities. It is believed the German warships may have been aided in directing their fire on the town by spies who signalled the position of the railway station and other buildings on which the shell fire was concentrated. The damage done here is estimated at about \$200,000. Most of the dead and wounded are believed to have been accounted for. The authorities are directing their attention to the streets clearing away the wreckage around the shelled buildings. All the streets have now been cleared of debris and the overhead cables of the street railway lines are being repaired so that traffic may be resumed. The freight steamer Princess Olga was sunk 6 miles off Scarborough last night by a mine. The crew was saved. On arriving here the survivors said they saw a German steamer laying mines near where the Princess Olga went down.

London, Dec. 17.—The Admiralty today issued a warning that traffic between Flamborough Head and Newcastle was now endangered by mines and all traffic would have to be abandoned until further notice.

German, To Meet Naval Shortage, Use Iron Work of Damaged Bridges

London, Dec. 17.—G. F. Stewart, correspondent of the Daily News at Rotterdam, telegraphs: "From a reliable source I learn that so short are the Germans of metal that contracts have been entered into, and actually are being carried out, for the transportation of all iron freight steamer Princess Olga was sunk 6 miles off Scarborough last night by a mine. The crew was saved. On arriving here the survivors said they saw a German steamer laying mines near where the Princess Olga went down."

BIG CROWDS IN VIENNA PROTEST AGAINST WAR IN GERMAN INTERESTS

Vienna, Dec. 17.—German disaster during the war has broken out in Austria as a result of the defeat of the Austrian army in Serbia, according to reports reaching here today. In Vienna great crowds marched to the War Office and shouted protests against the war. In Budapest demonstrations there were of a more peaceful character. Demonstrations protesting violently against their people being sacrificed to the interests of Germany.

In Full Session

London, Dec. 17.—The British Cabinet today met in full session to discuss the raid of the German warships.

G. P. R. CONTRACTORS BREAK THE RECORD FOR TUNNEL-BORING

World's records for tunnel boring have been established by Messrs. Foley & Co., who are now boring the C. P. R. Rogers Pass Tunnel. Last month, states Mr. A. C. Dennis, superintendent of construction for the contractors, 817 feet of the "pioneer" heading—the preliminary shaft running parallel to the main passage, from which operations are directed at several points—was completed. The American record for one month's tunnel boring was 550 feet, and this was accomplished in 31 days, while there were only 20 days in last month.

The maximum amount of excavation on a tunnel heading for a day was formerly 30 feet, this projection being accomplished on the Blomquist Tunnel through the Alps. This record was eclipsed one day last month on the tunnel through the Salzkirch, when 37 feet was excavated. The world's record was broken also for a week, 200 feet of rock being bored.

As a result of the rapid progress now being made with the tunnelling operations, the contractors are now confident that they will put the Rogers Pass tunnel through several months earlier than their contract with the Canadian Pacific calls for. The five-mile, double-track passage through the bow of Mount Hood is to be ready, according to the terms of the firm's agreement, by the end of 1916. At the present rate of projection it is estimated that the tunnel will be completed in the summer of 1915.

There remains 10,000 feet of the tunnel shaft yet to be driven. 10,000 feet being already bored, 11,000 feet of the tunneling shaft, and 100 feet of the main passage, were completed last month. From the tunnel portal 100 feet on 300 feet and 100 feet of the tunnel were completed.

Although the work has been well advanced, the hardest part of the tunnel boring has yet to be done. It

Allies Capture German Trenches At the Point of the Bayonet

Paris, Dec. 17.—With the violent shelling of the German trenches and repeated industry attacks the allied forces between Arras and the sea have kept up a determined attack upon the lines of the enemy for the past forty-eight hours.

Aided by the warships shelling the German positions from the sea an effort is being made to swing the German back up on October. The pressure of the offensive line through Belgium is constantly increasing, and farther south and east the drive toward the main highway through Lens, Lille and westward to Boulogne, is developing heavily.

An advance was made along the railway toward La Bassée by a direct assault upon the German positions.

Heavy artillery firing is in progress in the Alsace region. The French aviators have been extremely active in bombing the German batteries in this district, as well as in the Argonne and the Wever region.

This has resulted in the destruction of many batteries and necessitating a constant shifting of the German positions.

Paris, Dec. 17.—The capture of several German trenches in Flanders at the point of the bayonet is reported in the official communiqué issued from the war office today. Continued success is reported in the French advance in the region of Verdun. Heavy artillery firing is reported all along the entire line. The artillery duels were the liveliest yesterday, the statement asserts, in the region of Trier de Val, in the Alsace and Champagne regions and in the Argonne and about Verdun.

London, Eng., Dec. 17.—The steamer Elsterwater struck a mine and was sunk today off Flamborough Head. Six of the vessel's crew are missing.

Another vessel as yet unidentified, also struck a mine and went down nearby. The passengers and crew of the latter vessel escaped by taking to the lifeboats.

Flamborough Head is 15 miles south of Scarborough, one of the English coast towns bombarded by the German yesterday.

The freight steamer Princess Olga was sunk during the night by a mine six miles off Scarborough. Members of the crew of this vessel who were rescued, reported that they saw a German steamer laying mines near the point where the Princess Olga went down. The German cruisers dropped mines overhead as they fled after the bombardment yesterday.

ROMAN CATHOLICS IN MUNICIPAL CIRCLES

There is wide spread dissatisfaction amongst Roman Catholics in this city that they have no recognition in the Municipal Service. They make the charge that they have no share even in the municipal offices. It is true that the discrimination should be removed. That a Roman Catholic movement is widespread appears from a similar agitation in other places as appears by the following extract from a Toronto Journal:—

"Toronto is to have a Roman Catholic Municipal Association. According to The Evening Telegram, a committee of seven, consisting of L. V. Donnelly, A. T. Harnon, L. V. Dumas, R. F. Henderson, James O'Hagan, R. W. Dooley and J. C. Allan has been appointed to organize under the name of the Catholic Municipality Association."

"Apparently there is a feeling that Roman Catholic interests have not been fully served at the City Hall, and an attempt is to be made to influence the municipal government to pay more sympathetic attention to the wishes of the Roman Catholic ratepayers. Evidently this is a movement to secure positions under the civil government for Roman Catholics. Their institutions have been fairly well with. There has been no discrimination against them in any way, so there is absolutely no reason for the formation of a Catholic Municipality Association, unless it is to inaugurate new activities in behalf of the Roman Catholic. There is no Protestant Ratepayers' Association that we are aware of, and for the Roman Catholics to organize in this way is calculated rather to retard than to advance any project which they may have in mind."

Demis states that the next two miles through the heart of the mountains will have to be dug out of a particularly hard kind of rock.

THE WEATHER
Today: Fair and rather mild.

HOCKEY
How about the junior city league this year? Things are not looking so good as they did this time last year. I think there should be a league for the young fellows. Hoping the matter will be taken up.



ANOTHER NEW BATTLE DEVELOPING THIRTY MILES WEST OF WARSAW

Many Thousands of New Men at the Front. Hand-to-Hand Fighting Prevails. Intensity of Nervous Strain Driving Soldiers Insane. Reinforcements for Both Sides Being Rushed to the Front

Warsaw, Russian Poland, Dec. 17. Germans are moving forces from the region about Lodz. Notwithstanding the conflicting nature of reports concerning the character of the German operations, it is evident that their manoeuvres, which, according to some reports, include as many as five army corps, are being conducted along a line to the north of Lodz.

Nervous Strain to be Feared

A new first aid corps consisting of soldiers are fighting. An instance in fighting has been organized. The necessity for this form of treatment is growing as a result of the intensity of the nervous strain under which the soldiers are fighting. An instance to point is the case of a second lieutenant who collapsed unattended from a fight in which there were only thirteen survivors out of 200 men. He is a mental wreck. It is said that there are many similar cases.

Reinforcements are being poured in rapidly on both sides. The Russians are bringing in troops by highway and by the railroad from Warsaw. The Germans are moving forces from the region about Lodz.

THE MUTINOUS BAVARIANS IN BELGIUM TO BE COURT-MARTIALED

Amsterdam, via London, Dec. 16.—A message from Antwerp says that eighty soldiers who participated in the recent mutiny among the Bavarian troops garrisoning that city, are to be court-martialed. It is stated that the mutineers broke the furniture and many windows in the barracks. A great crowd which the soldiers were forced to hold back. The soldiers displayed Bavarian flags and decorated the portrait of Queen Elizabeth of Belgium, who is a Bavarian by birth.

SERBIANS HAVE CAPTURED 80,000 OF THE AUSTRIAN INVADERS

Nish, Dec. 17.—The total number of Austrian prisoners now held by the Serbians, is placed at eighty thousand in an official statement here today.

"During the battle of Turka for the heights dominating Belgrade," the statement asserts, "the Serbians captured another ten thousand men, making the total number of Austrian prisoners taken by our troops 80,000."

"The entire strength of the Austrian army operating against us is now only 30,000 men."

LAKEFIELD BREVITIES

Miss Elsie Sharpe spent the week-end in Peterborough visiting friends.

Messrs. E. E. Casson, W. H. Down, B. Everett, S. Garbutt, S. Higgins, B. Hunter and C. J. Waldon were in Peterborough last week serving as jurors at the General Sessions of the Court.

Mr. Bruce Edwards spent a few days in St. Thomas last week.

Miss Marjorie Morin left last week for Stratford, where she will spend a few months.

Mr. A. Harpell, of the Royal Bank staff, Warsaw, spent Sunday at his home in the village.

The annual concert of the pupils of the High School will be held in the school on Tuesday evening, Dec. 22nd.

Mrs. Bravender and Miss Bravender left on Saturday for Winnipeg, Man., where they will spend the winter. They will visit in Chicago, Ill. with Mr. Oliver Bravender.

Miss Marjorie Leung spent the week-end with Miss Marion Hunter in Smith.

Miss Olive Robinson spent Saturday in Peterborough.

SIR JOHN BARKER

London, Dec. 17.—Sir John Barker, the millionaire department store owner, died yesterday. He was 72 years old.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

J. J. TURNER & SONS
Proprietors and Managers

TODAY AND ALL WEEK

—With—
Matinees Daily at 2:30
And Night at 7:30

CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE

POLITE VAUDEVILLE
AND THE VERY BEST
MOTION PICTURES

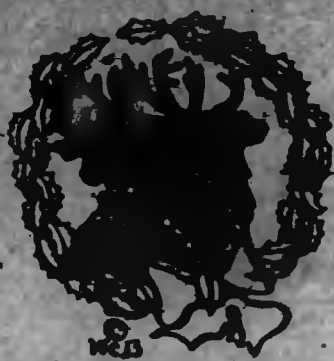
—PRICES—
Matinee—5c and 10c.
Night—10c and 15c.
Children—5c.

GOOD ORCHESTRA TO LISTEN TO

Effective Printing
None Better or More
Up-to-date
TIMES' JOB ROOMS
TIMES' BUILDING, Hunter St.,
Peterboro

ADVERTISING RATES

LOCAL WANT ADVERTISEMENTS
Cash Rates—
10 words or under, one day, 10¢; 2 days, 15¢; 3 days, 20¢; 4 days, 25¢; 5 days, 30¢; 6 days, 35¢; 7 days, 40¢; 8 days, 45¢; 9 days, 50¢; 10 days, 55¢; 11 days, 60¢; 12 days, 65¢; 13 days, 70¢; 14 days, 75¢; 15 days, 80¢; 16 days, 85¢; 17 days, 90¢; 18 days, 95¢; 19 days, 1.00; 20 days, 1.05; 21 days, 1.10; 22 days, 1.15; 23 days, 1.20; 24 days, 1.25; 25 days, 1.30; 26 days, 1.35; 27 days, 1.40; 28 days, 1.45; 29 days, 1.50; 30 days, 1.55; 31 days, 1.60; 32 days, 1.65; 33 days, 1.70; 34 days, 1.75; 35 days, 1.80; 36 days, 1.85; 37 days, 1.90; 38 days, 1.95; 39 days, 2.00; 40 days, 2.05; 41 days, 2.10; 42 days, 2.15; 43 days, 2.20; 44 days, 2.25; 45 days, 2.30; 46 days, 2.35; 47 days, 2.40; 48 days, 2.45; 49 days, 2.50; 50 days, 2.55; 51 days, 2.60; 52 days, 2.65; 53 days, 2.70; 54 days, 2.75; 55 days, 2.80; 56 days, 2.85; 57 days, 2.90; 58 days, 2.95; 59 days, 3.00; 60 days, 3.05; 61 days, 3.10; 62 days, 3.15; 63 days, 3.20; 64 days, 3.25; 65 days, 3.30; 66 days, 3.35; 67 days, 3.40; 68 days, 3.45; 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MEN'S FANCY CHRISTMAS BOXED ARM BANDS, 25c

An especially attractive "Xmas Put Up" of Men's Fancy Arm Bands. Colors are mauve, sky, grey and white. Each pair separately boxed. A most useful gift moderately priced. 5 Days' Xmas Annex 23c

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Special 40c value, this line of Men's Suspensives should find many purchasers. Good quality elastic webbing, white leather tips, patent adjusters. Each pair in fancy gift box. 5 Days' Xmas Annex 29c

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A factory clearing lot of heavy hon-evcomb and cashmere knit, long and short tongues. Obtainable in plain colors and color combinations. All are regular 50c values. During the 5 Days' Xmas Annex 29c

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Regular size English Tapestry Cushion Tops; very attractive floral designs and colors of red, green and taupe. A suitable gift for the home at a very modest price. 5 Days' Xmas Annex Special 15c

VAL AND TORCHON LACE, 25c PER YARD, 50c PER DOZEN

Miles and miles of Val and Torchon Laces; edgings and insertions. Regular values 50c, 80c and 100c a yard. Widths to 2 1/2 inches. Numerous different patterns. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, per yard 25c; or, per Dozen yards 25c

You Save Considerably on These Shirts 75c & 85c Values for 39c--3 for \$1.15

Another important purchase of Men's Coat Shirts enables the Annex to afford you unusual savings on a gift that is certain to please, for remember this is to be a Christmas of "useful giving." The Shirts are made of English Percales, and come in natty stripe designs, mostly light colors, deep laundered cuffs, and soft bosoms. Buying these Shirts under ordinary circumstances you would pay 75c and 85c. Five Days' Xmas Annex, 3 for \$1.15, or each, 39c.



Why Not Give Him a Sweater Coat? \$3.00 to \$4.50 Values for \$1.95

Could anything make a more practical gift for a man than a high-grade Sweater Coat such as these. Every one of these garments are Penman made, samples which we bought considerably under value. You will find every wanted style and color—a wonderful assortment of perfectly made and finished garments. The values run from \$3.00 to \$4.50, affording you the opportunity to make an unusual saving on a gift that will be appreciated. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, \$1.95.

THREE YARD CUSHION CORDS, CHRISTMAS ANNEX, 2 FOR 25c

Extra long mercerized Cushion Cords, 3 yards in length. A wide assortment of colors and color combinations. These Cords are also used extensively as girdles for bathrobes and housecoats. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, 2 for 25c

50c LEATHER AND SILK HORSE HAND BAGS, 25c

Very dainty styles in seal and silk Moire, with soft handles and bright frames; will make a very sensible gift for Christmas, and one that is sure to be appreciated. In regular stock these Hand Bags are sold at 75c. 5 Days' Xmas Annex 29c

PINK SUEDIE COLLAR BAGS, 5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 44c

A most appropriate gift for either ladies or men, being a very useful article. These Suede Collar Bags are shown in colors of brown, grey and green; silk draw cords and leather tassels. 5 Days' Xmas Annex 44c

BOYS' AND GIRLS' 50c CLOTH BOUND BOOKS, 15c

Popular boys' and girls' authors, such as Henty, Alger, Meadows, Molesworth and Holmes; a splendid selection of titles, each copy regular 25c value. These books are all cloth bound. A dandy gift for the young folks. 5 Days' Xmas Annex 18c

50c SATIN UNDERSKIRTS, 5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 79c

One of the most remarkable Satin Underskirt values ever offered. Made of lovely quality soft satin, guaranteed mostly silk. A wide range of the newest and most popular colors, and absolutely up to the minute in style. 79c \$1.75 value for 79c



Men's 50c Silk Ties for 25c

A very unusual purchase by the Annex enables us to make this half-price offer on new Silk Ties. Very natty designs and colorings in the new folded end shapes. Hundreds to select from, all good 50c values. Such pretty ties as these always make acceptable gifts. 5 Days' Xmas Annex Leader, each 25c.

JET AND SEQUIN COLLARS

An especially low price on these black Jet and Sequin Collars; they are all regular 89c and \$1.00 values. A splendid assortment of styles and sizes, some with long pointed ends. Five Days' Xmas Annex 39c

MEN'S 50c FLANNELLETTES, 5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 77c

These Gowns are made of extra quality English Flannellette, a quality that will launder well. They are a generous size, and sell every day at \$1.00. Sizes 14 to 18. Will make a very practical gift. 5 Days' Xmas Annex 77c

50c AND 75c KNIT SCARFS, 25c

Women's Knitted Scarfs, regular stock lines, mostly 75c values, a few were 50c. They are a good length and have fringed ends. Colors white, brown and taupe. An ideal women's gift. Five Days' Xmas Annex 39c

50c PICTURE STORY BOOK, 15c

Our special 25c big value Children's Story Book, colored board covers. A carefully selected choice of subjects, including Gulliver's Travels, Grimm's Fairy Tales, Golden Hours, Pilgrim's Progress, etc., etc. 5 Days' Xmas Annex 19c

Dainty New White Blouses 89c

An exceptional Xmas Annex offering of dainty white embroidered blouses; every one is made in the latest approved style with self lay-down collar, set-in sleeves, lovely lace and insertion trimmings. Sizes 34 to 42. For mother, sister or friend one of these charming blouses would indeed make a pleasing gift. Value extraordinary, on Wednesday 89c



QUICK BOXES CHRISTMAS STATIONERY VERY SPECIAL

Two lines of Fancy Boxed Stationery, each containing one quire of linen paper and twenty-four envelopes to match. A very suitable gift for young and old, and one sure to be appreciated. Five Days' Xmas Annex, Worth 20c. Xmas 25c. Annex 2 For 25c. Annex 14c

GIRLS' 50c STRIPED FLANNELLETTE GOWNS, 39c

Another extremely practical gift suggestion—this time for the girls. Warm, comfortable, striped flannellette gowns, plain and blue. Close buttoned neck, self trim on cuffs and collar. Ages 10 to 14 years. Special 50c value. 5 Days' Xmas Annex 39c

FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX—WOMEN'S 50c SLIPPERS, 15c

A very desirable wool slipper sole for women. Solid leather sole with thick wool padding. All sizes 3 to 7. Very special value at 25c, and only procurable in the Annex at the decidedly low price 15c of, per pair 19c

WOMEN'S 75c WHITE FLANNELLETTE GOWNS—5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 49c

The best 75c value to be obtained; these Gowns are made of soft, combed pure bleached Saxony Flannellette. They are made in the buttoned front style, with self trimmed yoke. Five Days' Xmas Annex, each 49c

5 DAY ANNEX LEADER

"Siesta" Bedroom Slippers 79c

"Siesta" Slippers will meet the demands of those ladies who require something pretty as well as cozy and durable. Made of high-grade felt, calf tops and finished with large silk pom-pom. Two color combinations of blue with white, grey with red, black with red, and brown with grey. A very pretty and useful gift for ladies. Xmas Annex, per pair, 79c.



FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX—MODERN UNDERWEAR FOR WOMEN

Every garment "Modie's" Hygienic make, and sold regularly at 25c and 50c. Vests and Drawers in grey or white. Priced very low for the 5 Days' Xmas Annex: Reg. 50c per garment 30c Reg. 25c per garment 15c

WIDE SILK RIBBONS AT CHRISTMAS ANNEX PRICES

Our stock lines of best quality wide Taffeta Silk Ribbons; two widths, in a complete range of colors. A most useful Xmas Annex line, About 3 1/2 inches wide. Per yard 80c About 6 inches wide. Per yard 84c.

ANNEX LEADER SOAP 10 BARS 29c

Royal Toilet Paper 8 Rolls for 29c

Two favorite Annex lines at extra special prices for one day only—Saturday. The usual size and quality Laundry Soap; also the large size rolls of Royal Toilet Paper. Saturday Xmas Annex Leader: Annex Laundry Soap—10 Bars 29c Royal Toilet Paper—8 Rolls 29c

5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX LEADER

Flannellette Blankets

A Useful Gift for the Home

Purchase your Flannellette Blanket needs in the Annex during these five days. Owing to the purchase of a complete Mill Clearing lot we can offer astounding values. Note these prices: Size 58x76. Worth \$1.35 for \$1.19 Size 66x76. Worth \$1.75 for \$1.30 Size 68x80. Worth \$2.00 for \$1.58

TUESDAY'S XMAS ANNEX LEADER

Boxed Xmas Papeteries

75c Value for 39c

An import English line of excellent 75c value boxed Christmas Papeteries. Beautiful large boxes, each containing two quires of splendid quality linen paper and 48 envelopes to match. A most suitable gift for young girls or ladies. Almost half-price for Tuesday's Xmas Annex Leader, per box, 39c.

THURSDAY'S XMAS ANNEX LEADER

Embroidered Brown Linen Cushions 39c

"A Gift for the Home"—Brown Linen Cushions, complete tops and backs; beautiful designs, silk embroidered; sides finished with self ruffles or fringe, all ready for use. Regular values are 59c, 65c and 75c. A last day gift opportunity for the home. Thursday Xmas Annex Leader, 39c.

WOMEN'S 50c UNDERWEAR, FLANNELLETTE LINGERIE, 25c

Best 50c quality, plain flannellette garments, heavy weight. Vests and Drawers in white only. Some are slightly soiled, being a mill clearing lot. Specially low priced for the 5 Days' Xmas Annex, per garment 39c

REVERSIBLE BED COMFORTERS, FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 97c

Reversible Bed Comforters, covered with art silkolene, very attractive patterns and colorings, beautiful shades of blue, green, taupe and rose. Full double bed size. Extra Special value for the 5 Days' Xmas Annex, each 97c

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The Children's "Little Darling" Home. Made of fine ribbed cashmere, silk lace and trim. Tan, red, pink, sky, cream and black. Five Days' Xmas Annex: Sizes 4 to 6. Regular 25c for 20c Sizes 6 to 7. Regular 30c for 24c

FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX—50c LACE COLLARS FOR 15c

A dainty gift for ladies or girls. Heavy lace collars; two lay-down styles in white or cream. A line that sells freely in our regular stock at 25c, and exceedingly good value at this price. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, each 19c

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American Press Says Germany's Barbaric Tactics Must Cease—The Allies Continue Their Irresistible Advance in the West

DESPERATE BATTLE BEING WAGED BETWEEN RUSSIANS AND GERMANS

May Decide the Fate of Warsaw—Berlin Claims a Victory Which is Doubtful. German Force Said to Number 800,000. Russians are in Greater Strength and Reinforcements are Pouring in

London, Dec. 18.—The most desperate fighting of the entire eastern campaign is now developing on a line within 50 miles of the city of Warsaw. Berlin is celebrating what is claimed there to be a great victory over the Russians, as a result of an official statement that the enemy's offensive against Poznan and Silesia has completely broken down.

From Petrograd reports have come that the Russian line south of the Vistula have been driven back sharply to Warsaw for strategic reasons. It is evident however that the great battle upon which the fate of Warsaw may rest is now only approaching a climax.

The German official statement is regarded as covering the campaign since from a defensive standpoint there is no possibility of a retreat.

BRITISH ARE AROUSED BY GERMANS' COWARDLY ATTACK ON COAST CITIES

London, Eng., Dec. 18.—Since occupation of the coast between Rotterdam and Antwerp has been declared, the British are aroused by the cowardly attack on coast cities. The British are unable to understand how the United States and other neutral countries can further ignore the violations of the laws of civilized warfare, of which they charge the Germans are guilty. Newspaper editors express the opinion that the United States should protest to Germany against a repetition of such attacks as were made against the three English towns.

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WHAT THE BRITISH NAVY IS DOING IN REGARD TO COMMERCE

The British Board of Trade on November 24 issued a statement showing the state of British and German shipping respectively after sixteen weeks of war. The total number and tonnage of steamships available 100 per cent. gross, owned by the two countries at the outbreak of war was:

To the Germans:	
Captured	80
Detained in German ports	100
Detained in British or allied ports	100
Shipping losses in neutral ports	600
In German ports	200
Total	1,200

The proportion of ships available was 80.4 per cent. The proportion of tonnage available was 80.9 per cent.

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Allies Meet With Continued Success in Western War Theatre

Paris, Dec. 18.—Continued success in the offensive movement in Belgium and northwestern France with the capture of many German trenches, is officially announced to-day.

The commander from the war office states that about thirty of the first line trenches of the Germans were taken along a front of more than five miles of a mile.

"In the region of Tracy Le Val de l'Esne and in Champagne our heavy artillery was distinct advantages."

"In the Argonne the Germans threw up one of our trenches to the north of Four de Paris and endeavored to move out from the position with three battalions of troops. This infantry attack, as well as the one they undertook at St. Hubert, was repulsed."

London, Eng., Dec. 18.—The Norwegian steamer *Vespa* has been sunk by mines in the North Sea. Advice received by Lloyd's.

12 members of the crew of the *Vespa* today state that Vespa and an English pilot were drowned.

Paris, Dec. 18.—At the very point where the Germans had missed great success in their offensive against the allies, British troops have delivered a blow which resulted in an advance of practically 2 miles.

The extent of the forward movement of the allies is now increasing daily. The latest advance is reported northeast of Arras.

French troops which have taken up positions on the battle line are attacking Germans with the greatest determination. Particular attention is being given to clearing all small woods of the enemy, where their field guns have been massed.

not accounted for is 41.6 per cent. of tonnage only 10.7 per cent.

Only ten German steamers known to be at sea, as against ten thousand British steamers.

GERMAN RAID CONDEMNED BY AMERICAN PRESS

Paris, Dec. 18.—Like every other strategist, naval or military, Lieut. Col. Bousquet regards with contempt the latest German incursion—the bombardment of the English coast towns. In the *Liber* he contributes to the despair of the German general staff, "which, in view of the naval disaster of the Falkland Islands and the complete failure of the campaign in the east and west, feels it must do something."

"Germany manifestly," continues Lieut. Col. Bousquet, "has at last had the proof. This is found in the naval campaign, which has no strategical value and can only strengthen the British determination to crush German militarism."

"Further proof is forthcoming in Poland, where Germany is struggling blindly in the 'toll,' Field Marshal Von Hindenburg is persisting in trying to reach Warsaw, and he is trying at the same time to cover Cracow. In other words, he is heading on two trails and thus facilitating the

current coin. Dominion notes and other quickly available assets, which are over \$1,000,000 higher than they were a year ago. These now, amount to \$16,100,000 as compared with \$15,100,000 in 1913. The percentage of quickly available assets bear a very high ratio to the bank's total liabilities to the public, indicating that the conservative banking practice obtained the year. The decrease in net earnings may be attributed not only to the depreciation of the past year but to the fact that the management has written off and fully provided for all shrinkages in the value of the bank's investments."

The report shows that during the year Mr. David Macpherson retired from the presidency through ill-health and was succeeded by the Hon. George Bryce, formerly vice-president.

BANK OF OTTAWA PROFITS The Earnings are Slightly Below Level of Last Year

In comparison with the other banks reporting for the past year, the Bank of Ottawa shows decreased profits. For the year ended November 30th, 1914, their earnings amounted to \$220,000 as compared with \$200,700 for 1913. Other departments of the bank also show slight contractions from the high level attained in 1913.

The notes in circulation show a decrease of \$200,000, the non-interest bearing deposits a decrease of \$200,000, while interest bearing deposits are some \$24,000 less than for the previous year. The bank also shows a decrease in current loans of slightly over \$2,000,000, while total assets are down from \$25,000,000 to \$23,500,000. The one exception to the general shrinkage is in the amount of



"High Cost of Living" by Mack at the National Household as a result of the British Naval Policy.

GERMAN NAVAL RAID PROOF OF THE DESPAIR OF TEUTONIC STAFF

Lieut. Col. Bousquet Refers With Contempt to the German Fleets Attack on Unfortified Cities and Defenceless Women and Children. Austria Seemingly Tires of Rolling Chestnuts Out of the Fire for Germany

New York, Dec. 18.—Commenting editorially on the German raid on the east coast of England, the *Tristram* this morning says:

"At Scarborough and Whitby there was no defense made, and the only victims of the German gun fire were non-combatants, including women and children."

"Such ruthlessness will come home to roost. Germany cannot escape the responsibility for having taken the first step towards restoring barbarism which the world had fondly hoped to see eliminated from the practice of war."

"The New York Times says: 'The ruthless bombardment of unfortified towns and utterly useless massacre of non-combatants have not only shocked the people of other nations, but have aroused a world-wide feeling of angry sentiment which cannot fail to be prejudicial to Germany.'"

London, Dec. 18.—The *Daily Chronicle* in an editorial on the German raid on the east coast of England, says:

"It is hard enough to be the recognized practice of a civilized navy to bombard unfortified coastal towns and kill civilians? Is the Hague convention of 1907 on bombardments by naval forces to be dropped by the civilized world?"

"Countries like Germany and Austria with small coast lines and few ports, need not mind, but the vast length of the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard of the United States will suffer terribly."

BOTHA TAKES A VACATION; SOUTH AFRICAN REBELLION AT AN END

Capetown, via London, Dec. 18, 9:15 a.m.—General Louis Botha, Premier of the Union of South Africa, is on a short vacation on his estate before undertaking a campaign against the German South-West Africa.

With the capture of General De Wet and the death of General Beyers in an engagement the South African Government recently announced that the rebellion started by these leaders was practically at an end. Most of the followers of De Wet and Beyers, it is stated, have been either captured or killed.

SINKING OF GERMAN CRUISER IN THE BALTIC IS CONFIRMED

Perth, Dec. 18.—It is now officially announced that the German armored cruiser *Friedrich Kell* was sunk during a recent raid in the Baltic. Two-thirds of her crew are said to have perished, less than two hundred men having been saved.

Several reports recently said the *Friedrich Kell* had struck a mine while coming out of a German port, a cruiser of 6,000 tons and was built in the Baltic and had sunk. She was in Hamburg in 1902. Her complement was about 357 men.

CAPTURED BY EMPRESS OF JAPAN

Paris, Dec. 18.—The Ministry of Marine announced today that the British auxiliary cruiser *Empress of Japan* had captured the cutter *Reine* having on board three officers and fifty men from the German cruiser *Reine* sunk Nov. 10th by the Australian cruiser *Sydney*.

There are the forty men who escaped to Coos Island, and subsequently, taken away in a commandeered schooner.

The *Empress of Japan* is one of the C.P.R. fleet of steamships, and was taken over by the British Government on the outbreak of war.

EXPECT 70,000 TROOPS AT ANTWERP

London, Dec. 18. M. The correspondent of the *Daily News* telegraphs from Rotterdam:

"During the last few days refugees arriving from Hoyt state that they were advised by German soldiers to leave for the Netherlands because things very serious in Antwerp. They trapped all the way unhindered by the machine on the coast. At Antwerp 70,000 troops are expected to arrive within the next few days."

WHERE WILL THEY COME FROM

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 18.—There are insistent, though unconfirmed rumors here today that the Germans are sending another fleet to South America where to engage the British.

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A very unusual purchase by the Annex enables us to make this half-price offer on new Silk Ties. Very sassy designs and colorings in the new folded end shapes. Hundreds to select from, all good 50c values. Such pretty Ties as these always make acceptable gifts. 5 Days' Xmas Annex Leader, each **25c**.

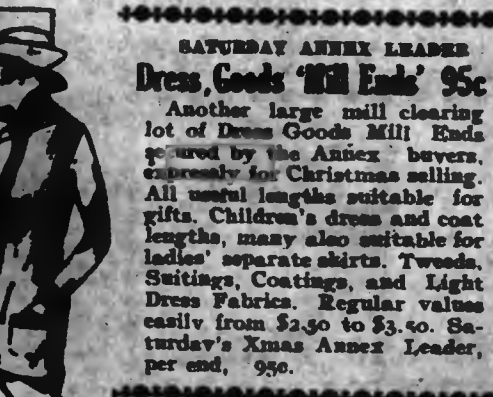
JET AND SEQUIN COLLARS
An especially low price on these black Jet and Sequin Collars; they are all regular 89c and \$1.00 values. A splendid assortment of styles and sizes, some with long pointed ends. Five Days' Xmas Annex **39c**

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These Gowns are made of extra quality English Flannelette, a quality that will launder well. They are a generous size, and sell every day at \$1.00. Sizes 14 to 18. Will make a very practical gift. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **77c**



QUIRE BOXES CHRISTMAS STATIONERY VERY SPECIAL
Two lines of Fancy Boxed Stationery, each containing one quire of linen paper and twenty-four envelopes to match. A very suitable gift for young and old, and one sure to be appreciated. Five Day Xmas Annex, Worth 30c. Xmas Annex **25c** Worth 35c. Xmas Annex **14c**

MONDAY ANNEX LEADER
Penman Coat Sweaters \$1.29
Regular prices on these Penman made women's Coat Sweaters are \$2.00, \$2.48 and \$2.95. A splendid assortment of this season's styles, open necks, turn down and high button collars. Colors of brown, red, tan, grey, white and black. Mostly half-price and less. A Coat Sweater would prove most acceptable to many. Monday's Xmas Annex Leader at \$1.29.



NOVELTY ECKELBA HANDKERCHIEFS 7c ON 4 FOR 25c
This is going to be a great year for Handkerchief giving and we have prepared accordingly; here's just one of the many special values we are offering. Eckelbas, the handkerchief for men, women and boys. Lovely soft, mercerized finish, colored borders and patterns. Regular 10c value. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, 4 for 25c, or, each **7c**

GIRLS' 60c STRIPED FLANNELETTE GOWNS 39c
Another extremely practical gift suggestion--this time for the girls. Warm, comfortable, striped flannelette gowns, pink and blue. Close buttoned neck, self trim on cuffs and collar. Ages 10 to 14 years. Special 50c value. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **39c**

WOMEN'S 70c WHITE FLANNELETTE GOWNS--5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX 49c
The best 75c value to be obtained; these Gowns are made of soft, combed pure bleached Saxony Flannelette. They are made in the buttoned front style, with self trimmed yokes. Five Days' Annex, each **49c**

5 DAY ANNEX LEADER
"Sista" Bedroom Slippers 79c
"Sista" Slippers will meet the demands of those ladies who require something pretty as well as cozy and durable. Made of high-grade felt, cuff tops and finished with large silk pom-poms. Two color combinations of blue with white, grey with red, black with red, and brown with grey. A very pretty and useful gift for ladies. Xmas Annex, per pair, **79c**.

MEN'S SAMPLE NECK SCARFS AND MUFFLERS FOR 40c
Knitted Mufflers, Silk Scarfs, and Folders will be found in this lot of samples. Regular values are 75c, 85c and \$1.00, but we bought them at a liberal price concession. Will make a very practical Christmas gift. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **49c**

FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX--WOMEN'S 50c SLIPPER SOLES, 19c
A very desirable wool slipper sole for women. Solid leather sole with thick wool padding. All sizes 3 to 7. Very special value at 25c, and now procurable in the Annex at the decidedly low price **19c**, per pair.

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FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX--WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR FOR WOMEN
Every garment Moodies' Hygienic make, and sold regularly at 25c and 30c. Vests and Drawers in grey or white. Priced very low for the 5 Days' Xmas Annex: Reg. 50c per garment **25c** Reg. 30c per garment **15c**

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Our stock lines of best quality wide Taffeta Silk Ribbons; two widths, in a complete range of colors. A most useful Xmas Annex line. About 5 1/2 inches wide. Per yard **5c** About 4 inches wide. Per yard **4c**

SATURDAY XMAS ANNEX LEADER
Annex Laundry Soap 10 Bars 29c
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Two favorite Annex lines at extra special prices for one day only--Saturday. The usual size and quality Laundry Soap; also the large size rolls of Royal Toilet Paper. Saturday Xmas Annex Leader:

5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX LEADER
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TUESDAY'S XMAS ANNEX LEADER
Boxed Xmas Papereries
75c Value for 39c
An import English line of excellent 75c value boxed Christmas Papereries. Beautiful large boxes, each containing two quires of splendid quality linen paper and 48 envelopes to match. A most suitable gift for young girls or ladies. Almost half-price for Tuesday's Xmas Annex Leader, per box, **39c**.

THURSDAY'S XMAS ANNEX LEADER
Embroidered Brown Linen Cushions 39c
"A Gift for the Home"--Brown Linen Cushions, complete tops and backs; beautiful designs, silk embroidered; sides finished with self ruffles or fringe, all ready for use. Regular values are 59c, 65c and 75c. A last day gift opportunity for the home. Thursday Xmas Annex Leader, **39c**.

WOMEN'S 40c UNDERWEAR, FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 25c
Good quality, plain foot-lined garments, heavy weight. Vests and Drawers in white only. Some are slightly soiled, being a mill clearing lot. Specially low priced for the 5 Days' Xmas Annex, per pair **25c**

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THE TIMES BOOKSTORE

THE BANK OF OTTAWA

FORTIETH ANNUAL MEETING

Since the last annual meeting, a branch of the Bank has been opened at Portage du Fort, Province of Quebec, and sub-offices at South Mountain, Ont., Glen Robertson, Ont., and Ingonish Falls, Ont. The branches at Ashdale Avenue, Toronto, and Robson St., Vancouver, have been closed.

During the year, extensive alterations and additions to the buildings owned by the Bank at Winnipeg and Prince Albert have been completed, and the lease of the tenants of the property acquired by the Bank some years ago, at the corner of Rideau and William Streets, in the City of Ottawa, having expired, alterations were made, for the purpose of enlarging the office there, which are also included in the expenditure for the year.

The Head Office and branches have been inspected as usual. The officers of the Bank have performed their duties to the satisfaction of the Board.

GEORGE RYSON, President.
GEORGE BURN, General Manager.

After remarks from the President and General Manager, the adoption of the report was moved by the President and Vice-President and carried unanimously.

The usual resolutions of thanks to the Directors and to the staff of the Bank were adopted, and Scrutineers appointed. A motion appointing Messrs. A. B. Brodie and D. McK. McClelland, members of the firm of Price, Waterhouse & Company, auditors for the current year, and fixing the remuneration of these auditors at a maximum sum of \$5,000.00, was also passed.

The Scrutineers appointed at the meeting reported that

all the members of the Old Board and been re-elected, and at a meeting of the newly elected Directors, held subsequently, the Honourable George Bryson was elected President, and Mr. John B. Fraser, Vice-President for the ensuing year.

Liabilities and Assets	
OVERSEER, 1914	
LIABILITIES	
By bonds, \$100,000	\$ 4,000,000.00
By bonds, \$100,000	4,750,000.00
By bonds, \$100,000	125,000.00
By bonds, \$100,000	225,000.00

.....		\$ 9,086,782.38.
.....		4,651,740.50
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.....	returned to date of	
.....	<u>22,954,780.57</u>	
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.....		60,125,940.98
.....		421.94
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.....	Students in the	
.....		328,854.70
.....		67,400.57
.....		<u>57,455.45</u>
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ETS	
.....	\$ 1,674,389.17
.....	4,370,628.00
.....	373,645.00
.....	1,384,385.39
.....	<u>2,708,689.76</u>
Dents elsewhere	

.....	889,577.78
is not exceeding	1,198,606.83
in Canada and Colonial	1,944,715.32
is not exceeding	784,334.87
.....	678,781.26

	\$16,100,000.17
(less rebate of	
.....	34,342,004.70
per centum...	67,400.57
.....	207,121.42
.....	277,461.70
months (if any)	
.....	1,700,000.00

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GEORGE BRYSON President.
GEORGE BURN, General Manager.

and by us at the close of business, November 25th, 1904, and to the Bank during the year, when we charged the cash and verified the same. We have obtained all necessary receipts from the bank for our entire loans, in our opinion, been paid to the amount of one hundred and six thousand five hundred dollars, and we have no cash or notes on hand November 25th, 1904, in respect of loans upon which interest, according to the best of our information and belief, is in arrears. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and the seal of the corporation this 25th day of November, 1904.

A. McC. McEINLAND, C. A. Auditor.

In the presence of the undersigned, a Notary Public for the State of New York, at the firm of Price, Wentworth & Co. Chartered Accountants,

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MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 21, 1914

PRICE TWO CENTS

Russians Again Victorious in North Poland German Lines on Lys River Fall Back--Bayoneted Out of Trench After Trench By The Allies

THE FINANCIAL METROPOLIS OF THE WORLD NOT VERY ACTIVE SATURDAY

Trading Light Owing to Bad Weather--Prices Show Insignificant Change. Railway Stocks are Firm. Big Business in Coast Bombardment Risks Being Carried by Lloyd's. South African Stock Exchange Business to Re-Open

London, Dec. 19.—(Reuters) In the financial metropolis of the world, trading was not very active today. Prices showed insignificant change. Railway stocks were firm. Big business in coast bombardment risks being carried by Lloyd's. South African stock exchange business to re-open.

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THE ALLIES ADVANCE AT ARRAS AND PROGRESS ON THE SEA COAST

Paris, Dec. 19.—For the first time in two months positions east of Arras are in possession of the allies. After fierce fighting lasting through the better part of two days, they have succeeded in pushing their advance lines more than two and a half miles out of Arras.

GERMANS MISSING ON FRENCH BORDER GUARD LAND ROUTES INTO HOLLAND

Amsterdam, Dec. 20.—A despatch from Maastricht, capital of the Dutch Province of Limburg, says that there has been a marked concentration of German troops during the past fortnight on both sides of the province.

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AT THE BOX OFFICE

Russian Victory in North Poland Germany Army is Driven Back

PETERSBURG, DEC. 20.—A RUSSIAN VICTORY IN THE NORTH OF POLAND IS ANNOUNCED OFFICIALLY. THE GERMAN ARMY WHICH ADVANCED FROM GOLSDAU TO ATTACK THE RUSSIAN RIGHT WING OF THE NORTH BANK OF THE VISTULA, AND WHICH WAS INTENDED TO STRIKE AT THE SAME TIME VON HILSEN BUREAU WAS HANDED AT THE GATES OF WARSAW, HAS BEEN MET BY A SUPERIOR FORCE AND DRIVEN BACK THE BORDER IN EAST PRUSSIA.

Defeat of the Austrians by the Servians is Now Complete

London, Dec. 19.—The Morning Post prints another Hungarian letter dated December 19 confirming the Austrian-Hungarian debacle in Serbia. The letter says: "The army is now practically non-existent. The losses in killed and wounded in the rear-guard actions and fight were more than 60,000, and in prisoners were 60,000, while the Serbians captured more guns, ammunition and provisions than they either lost or had possessed."

REV. REDDITT IS DEAD FROM CANCER

Toronto, Dec. 19.—The Methodist Church of Canada lost one of its most valuable workers on Saturday morning in the death of Rev. Dr. J. J. Redditt at his residence in Summerhill avenue. For the past five months he had been suffering from cancer, and the end was not altogether unexpected.

YESTERDAY'S DESPATCHES

London, Sunday.—The British Admiralty states that the cruiser Ashcroft has captured the German Heide and sent her to Port Said with a prize crew aboard. The cruiser Ashcroft has sent a big Turkish steamer near Beirut.

JUMPED OF TRAIN DIED OF INJURIES

Kingston, Dec. 19.—Lillian Cooty, aged 17, died as a result of injuries she received by being run over by a train on the C.P.R. She had been visiting in Parham and by mistake got on the fast express, which does not stop at her home in Over Lake, and it is supposed that she jumped off the train while it was passing her station.

WOLF ISLANDERS IN HARBOR Narrowly Escaped Drowning at Kingston

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RHEIMS AGAIN THE VICTIM OF HEAVY BOMBARDMENT BY THE FOE

German Raining Shells on Nothing But Ruins in Revenge for the Wounding of the Kaiser's Fourth Son. Town is Not Fortified and no French or British Troops are in Garrison There. German Barbarity Intensified by Defeat

Paris, Dec. 20.—Rheims is being bombarded again because the Germans are angry at a French coup by which Prince August Wilhelm, fourth son of the Kaiser, was wounded. Such is the story which reached here today.

ONE HUNDRED OF CREW OF MESSUYEN DIED

Athens, Dec. 20.—It is learned from an absolutely reliable source that one hundred members of the crew of the Messuyen, the old Turkish battleship which was captured in the Dardanelles by a British submarine, perished. Included in this number were several German officers. The ship was being refitted for service, despite its age, and was partly manned by Germans.

DUCHESS SENDS MAPLE SUGAR TO CANADIANS AT SALISBURY PLAINS

Ottawa, Dec. 20.—Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Cornwall has sent a box of maple sugar as a gift to every officer and man of the Canadian overseas contingent now at Salisbury Plains, also to the officers and men of the Royal Canadian Regiment now at Burnside and of the ships of the Royal Canadian navy doing active duty on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. A Christmas and anniversary box, bearing the words, "Good Luck and Best Wishes for Xmas and 1915, from Louis Mountbatten, Duchess of Cornwall."

TORONTO NEWSPAPER CAMERA MEN DETAINED BY A MILITARY GUARD

Toronto, Dec. 19.—Three newspaper photographers were forcibly detained by camp police on Saturday evening while they were waiting for the Duke of Cornwall, and party to emerge from the transportation building, where a review was taking place. On arriving at camp his royal highness is said to have given strict instructions that no photograph was to be taken, taking with his special permission. Consequently, when the photographers, using in ignorance of the viceregal desire, took up a position near the door of the transportation building, Sergeant Major Farley, director of discipline, ordered the guard to disperse them, which was done. The camera men were thereupon temporarily interned by two military police outside the horticultural building. Later on in the afternoon they were released and with the gracious acquiescence of his royal highness they were permitted to take what they would be allowed to take a special picture, for which the members of the party would post in perfect order.

CHRISTMAS EXAMINATIONS AT COLLEGIATE

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The following is a report of Col. Inglis Institute, Christmas examinations:		
Johst, Frank	.....	75
Bliss, Herbert	.....	70
Grady, Marion	.....	70
Stacey, Harold	.....	70
Booth, James	.....	65
Thomson, James	.....	65
Chapman, Louis	.....	65
Ward, Myra	.....	60
Smith, Tully	.....	55
McCabe, Gertrude	.....	55
Atkinson, Mary	.....	55
Lyle, Vernon	.....	55
Hood, Phyllis	.....	50
Young, Ruby	.....	50
Thomson, John	.....	45
Conway, Olive	.....	45
Stewart, Edna	.....	45
Dimmock, Mary	.....	45
The end of the term will not be ready for publication until the first week in January, 1915.		

FOR SALE
A Columbia Gramophone, practically new. A bargain for quick sale. Apply at The Times office.



FIVE DAYS CHRISTMAS ANNEX

A Carnival of Useful, Appreciative Holiday Gifts at Prices Which Will Make the Gift Problem Easy to Solve

The "Banner Event" of the year is this FIVE DAYS CHRISTMAS ANNEX. Practical Gifts galore are featured on this bill and simply hundreds of others are crowded out; they will find a place as soon as some of the leaders are gone, so it will pay you to visit this great Bargain Department again and again, for you will certainly find it a great money-saving assistance to you in doing your gift shopping. Shop as early as possible—you will get better service and the assortments will be greater, but come as often as possible, you will be well repaid.



Saturday - Monday - Tuesday - Wednesday - Thursday

MEN'S FANCY CHRISTMAS BOXED ARM BANDS, 25c
An especially attractive "Xmas Put Up" of Men's Fancy Arm Bands. Colors are mauve, sky, grey and white. Each pair separately boxed. A most useful gift moderately priced. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **23c**

MEN'S 40c FANCY BOXED SUSPENSORS, XMAS ANNEX 25c
Special 40c value, this line of Men's Suspensiors should find many purchasers. Good quality elastic webbing, white leather tips, patent adjusters. Each pair in fancy gift box. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **29c**

BOYS' AND GIRLS' 40c TOQUES, FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 25c
A factory clearing lot of heavy honcomb and cashmere knit, long and short toques. Obtainable in plain colors and color combinations. All are regular 50c values. During the 5 Days' Xmas Annex **29c**

TAPESTRY CUSHION TOPS, 5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 15c
Regular size English Tapestry Cushion Tops; very attractive floral designs and colors of red, green and fawn. A suitable gift for the home at a very modest price. 5 Days' Xmas Annex Special **15c**

VAL AND TORCHON LACE, 25c PER YARD, 50c PER DOZEN
Miles and miles of Val and Torchon Laces; edgings and insertions. Regular values 50c, 8c, and 10c a yard. Widths to 2 1/2 inches. Numerous different patterns. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, per yard 2 1/2c; or, per Dozen yards **25c**

You Save Considerably on These Shirts
75c & 85c Values for 39c--3 for \$1.15
Another important purchase of Men's Coat Shirts enables the Annex to afford you unusual savings on a gift that is certain to please, for remember this is to be a Christmas of "useful giving." The Shirts are made of English Percales, and come in natty stripe designs, mostly light colors, deep laundered cuffs, and soft bosoms. Buying these Shirts under ordinary circumstances you would pay 75c and 85c. Five Days' Xmas Annex, 3 for \$1.15, or each, **39c**.



Why Not Give Him a Sweater Coat?
\$3.00 to \$4.50 Values for \$1.95
Could anything make a more practical gift for a man than a high-grade Sweater Coat such as these. Every one of these garments are Pezuman made, samples which we bought considerably under value. You will find every wanted style and color—a wonderful assortment of perfectly made and finished garments. The values run from \$3.00 to \$4.50, affording you the opportunity to make an unusual saving on a gift that will be appreciated. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, **\$1.95**.

THREE YARD CUSHION CORDS, CHRISTMAS ANNEX, 2 FOR 25c
Extra long mercerized Cushion Cords, 3 yards in length. A wide assortment of colors and color combinations. These Cords are also used extensively as girdles for bath robes and housecoats. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, **25c**

75c LEATHER AND SILK MOIRE HAND BAGS, 25c
Very dainty styles in seal and silk Moire, with self handles and bright frames; will make a very sensible gift for Christmas, and one that is sure to be appreciated. In regular stock these Hand Bags are sold at 75c. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **29c**

FIVE SUEDIE COLLAR BAGS, 5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 44c
A most appropriate gift for either ladies or men, being a very useful article. These Suede Collar Bags are shown in colors of brown, grey and green; silk draw cords and leather tassels. 5 Day Xmas Annex **44c**

BOYS' AND GIRLS' 40c CLOTH BOUND BOOKS, 15c
Popular boys' and girls' authors, such as Henty, Alger, Meadows, Molesworth and Holmes; a splendid selection of titles, each copy regular 25c value. These books are all cloth bound. A dandy gift for the young folks. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **18c**

61 1/2c SATIN UNDERSKIRTS, 5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 75c
One of the most remarkable Satin Underskirt values ever offered. Made of lovely quality soft satin, guaranteed mostly silk. A wide range of the newest and most popular colors, and absolutely up to the minute in style. **79c**



Men's 50c Silk Ties for 25c
A very unusual purchase by the Annex buyer enables us to make this half-price offer on new Silk Ties. Very natty designs and colorings in the new folded end shapes. Hundreds to select from, all good 50c values. Such pretty Ties as these always make acceptable gifts. 5 Days' Xmas Annex Leader, each **25c**.

JET AND SEQUIN COLLARS
An especially low price on these black Jet and Sequin Collars; they are all regular 89c and \$1.00 values. A splendid assortment of styles and sizes, some with long pointed ends. Five Days' Xmas Annex **39c**

MEN'S 51 1/2c FLANNELLETTE GOWNS 75c
These Gowns are made of extra quality English Flannellette, a quality that will launder well. They are a generous size, and sell every day at \$1.00. Sizes 14 to 18. Will make a very practical gift. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **77c**



QUICK BOKIE, CHRISTMAS STATIONERY VERY SPECIAL
Two lines of Fancy Banded Stationery, each containing one quire of lined paper and twenty-four envelopes to match. A very suitable gift for young and old, and one sure to be appreciated. Five Day Xmas Annex, Worth 20c, Xmas Annex **25c**

50c AND 75c KNIT SCARFS 39c
Women's Knitted Scarfs, regular stock lines, mostly 75c values, a few were 50c. They are a good length and have fringed ends. Colors white, brown and tan. An ideal women's gift. Five Days' Xmas Annex **39c**

25c PICTURE STORY BOOK, 19c
Our special 25c big value Children's Story Book; colored board covers. A carefully selected choice of subjects, including Gulliver's Travels, Grimm's Fairy Tales, Golden Hours, Pilgrim's Progress, etc., etc. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **19c**

NOVELTY EXCELSA HANDKERCHIEFS 7c OR 4 FOR 25c
This is going to be a great year for Handkerchief giving and we have prepared accordingly; here's just one of the many special values we are offering. Excelsa, the handkerchief for men, women and boys. Lovely soft, mercerized finish, colored borders and patterns. Regular 10c value. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, 4 for 25c, or, each **7c**

GIRLS' 40c STRIPED FLANNELLETTE GOWNS 39c
Another extremely practical gift suggestion — this time for the girls. Warm, comfortable, striped flannellette gowns, pink and blue. Close buttoned neck, soft frill on cuffs and collar. Ages 10 to 14 years. Special 50c value. 5 Days' Xmas Annex **39c**

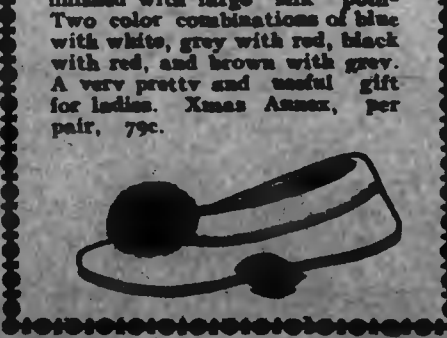
WOMEN'S 12c WHITE FLANNELLETTE GOWNS—5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX 49c
The best 75c value to be obtained; these Gowns are made of soft, combed pure bleached Saxony Flannellette. They are made in the buttoned front style, with self trimmed yokes. Five Days' Annex, each **49c**

5 DAY ANNEX LEADER "Slats" Bedroom Slippers 79c
"Slats" Slippers will meet the demands of those ladies who require something pretty as well as cozy and durable. Made of high-grade felt, cuff tops and finished with large silk pom-Two color combinations of blue with white, grey with red, black with red, and brown with grey. A very pretty and useful gift for ladies. Xmas Annex, per pair, **79c**.

WIDE SILK RIBBONS AT CHRISTMAS ANNEX PRICES
Our stock lines of best quality wide Taffeta Silk Ribbons; two widths, in a complete range of colors. A most useful Xmas Annex line. About 2 1/2 inches wide. Per yard **6c**
About 6 inches wide. Per yard **12 1/2c**

SATURDAY XMAS ANNEX LEADER Annex Laundry Soap 10 Bars 29c Royal Toilet Paper 8 Rolls for 29c
Two favorite Annex lines at extra special prices for one day only—Saturday. The usual high quality Laundry Soap; also the large size rolls of Royal Toilet Paper. Saturday Xmas Annex Leader.
Annex Laundry Soap—10 Bars 29c
Royal Toilet Paper—8 Rolls 29c

5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX LEADER Flannellette Blankets A Useful Gift for the Home
Purchase your Flannellette Blanket needs in the Annex during these five days. Owing to the purchase of a complete Mill Clearing lot we can offer astounding values. Note these prices:
Size 62x76. Worth \$1.35 for \$1.19
Size 66x76. Worth \$1.75 for \$1.39
Size 68x80. Worth \$2.00 for \$1.58



TUESDAY'S XMAS ANNEX LEADER Bored Xmas Papeteries 75c Value for 39c
An import English line of excellent 75c value Bored Christmas Papeteries. Beautiful large boxes, each containing two quires of splendid quality linen paper and 48 envelopes, to match. A most suitable gift for young girls or ladies. Almost half-price for Tuesday's Xmas Annex Leader, per box, **39c**.

THURSDAY'S XMAS ANNEX LEADER Embroidered Brown Linen Cushions 39c
"A Gift for the Home" — Brown Linen Cushions, complete tops and backs; beautiful designs, silk embroidered; sides finished with self ruffles or fringe, all ready for use. Regular values are 59c, 65c and 75c. A last day gift opportunity for the home. Thursday Xmas Annex Leader, **39c**.

WOMEN'S 40c CASHMERE, THREE FLANNEL LINES, 25c
Best 40c quality, plush fleece-lined garments, heavy weight. Vests and drawers, in white only. Some are slightly soiled, being a mill clearance lot. Especially low priced for the 5 Days' Xmas Annex, per pair **39c**

REVERSIBLE BED COMFORTERS, FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 97c
Reversible Bed Comforters, covered with all-wool, very attractive patterns and colorings, beautiful designs of blue, green, fawn and red. Full double bed size. Extra special value for the 5 Days' Xmas Annex, each **97c**

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The **GREENSBORO** ANNEX

FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX "LITTLE DARLING" DRESS 19c & 24c
The children's favorite Home. Made of fine ribbed, cashmere, silk back and toes. Tan, red, pink, sky, cream and black. Five Days' Xmas Annex.
\$24c 4 to 6, \$19c 6 to 10
\$24c 10 to 12, \$19c 12 to 14

FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX 25c LACE COLLARS FOR 19c
A dainty gift for ladies or girls. Heavy lace collars; two lay-down styles in white or cream. A line that sells truly in our regular stock at 25c, and exceedingly good value at that price. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, each **19c**

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Under such conditions, however, the sheep do extremely well, and the lambs from this range have an average weight at the close of the season of 85 pounds on the Chicago market, which is about the same as the average weight of the yearlings.

In one area on the Targhee forest in Idaho sheep get water only twice during the four-months' summer grazing season. There is no water in the range, but the sheep are driven to a nearby stream lower down the mountain side.

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Depends in Large Extent Upon Knowing
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Conservation Commission Urges Us-
ing of Every Acre

In connection with the European war
and its effect on the food supply of
the world, the following bulletin, issued
by the Conservation Commission of
Ottawa, is of interest.

"Many farmers, when urged to try
growing fall wheat, have excused
themselves on the plea that it did not
pay; but it is likely that for the next
year or two, there will be ready sale
of good prices for every bushel of
wheat grown in Canada. Every farmer
should endeavor to increase his
production of grain next year by plow-
ing late in the fall, sowing early and
plowing it. There are hundreds of
acres in Central and Eastern Canada
that would successfully grow wheat
if only by plowing the land im-
mediately after the harvest of the
summer crops, and sowing early in the
fall. No risk is being taken in so
doing, as the extra cultivation for the
fall wheat would increase the yield of
a winter wheat crop in the spring
of the wheat being winter-killed. The
land would need only to be disked or
cultivated to prepare it for spring
sowing.

"The grain production can also be
increased by plowing up the old un-
productive meadows at once and sow-
ing to grain in the spring. They
should be plowed shallow NOW and
be packed and disked and harrowed
until autumn, when they should be
thoroughly plowed again, ready to
be worked early next spring. They
offer the chance of plowing the land for
next spring's crop, early this summer,
and keeping it worked during the
autumn cannot be too strongly em-
phasized. Those who are now pro-
ducing a systematic rotation might
probably increase the grain crop of the
next year, and to those who are fol-
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Vast Storehouse of Mineral Wealth—
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"Mexico is the land of big strikes.
Humboldt called it 'The treasure
house of the world.' It is all that
and more."

A man who has spent years of his
life on the south of the Rio Grande,
was talking and this was the burden
of his talk.

He told of a subterranean lake of
oil, known to be 300 miles long and
from 15 to 20 miles wide, with a
"speaker" that flowed more than 300,
000 barrels in 24 hours before it was
"capped" and regulated. It was
filled with oil in that 24 hours.

He told of ore that amounted to \$4,000
to the ton, and hundreds of tons of
it in sight.

"Under Spanish rule," said the man
from Mexico, "the mines of Guana-
huato alone produced over \$1,000,000,
000 worth of silver. The mine opera-
tions made millions so quickly that one
of the Spanish viceroys was forced
to issue an order forbidding them
from scattering handfuls of silver on
the streets because it increased the
number of beggars."

"Well, it has very different now.
For instance, the Pachuca mine, the
most important mine, has no idea
how much money he has, nor any
idea of its value. In the last few
years he has built 30 churches, at
least 100 schools, and has given away
several millions in cash. He has
been a very good man, but he has
no idea of the value of his mine."

"Why, there are lots of cheap ore
strikes, particularly in Sonora, where
a boy can find an old mine and
sell it for \$10 a day working the gold
with an ordinary pan. They call these
little strikes 'poor man's strikes.'"

DEVELOPING A SUPERMAN

Alberta Should Produce One If England
Threatens to Do Anything

Alberta's unique population should
produce a considerable interest for the
English, says a well known medical
journal. From 1868 until 1906, from
1,000 to 20,000 Russians were exiled
to Siberia, mainly for "volun-
tary" reasons, and the result was a
democracy and other modern theories.
In other words, the inhabitants of
the territory seem always to have been
men and women of original habits of
thought, of mental qualities and
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of government more like our own.

As we understand it, these exiles
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City News

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See the beautiful pictures in the Times Bookstore window. They are copies of art masterpieces and are selling at 10c, or 15c for 50c. Just the thing for Xmas presents.

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Vacuum Cleaner, entirely new, never having been used. Cost \$10. Will sell very cheap. Apply at The Times office.

Successful Meetings
Mr. G.W. Halliday, who is conducting Dr. Gordon, in his Christian citizenship campaign, is in the city, and reports successful meetings in Woodstock where a two week's campaign has just been closed.

Mark Street Church
At Mark Street Church yesterday Mr. Arthur L. Phelps, B.A., of Victoria, College, Toronto, preached on the coming service, and had as his subject "The Christmas Message and the War."

PATRIOTIC BRIDGEMOUTH.
Children of the Methodist Church at Bridgmouth gave a concert in aid of the Belgian Relief Fund. Rev. Mr. Ireland very ably filled the choir, and the children succeeded in raising \$25.10 for the fund. A splendid programme, ably rendered, was presented.

George Street Sunday School
Yesterday was the Sunday School anniversary of the George Street Methodist Church. Rev. O.J. Christensen of Kemptville was the pastor for the occasion. Rev. Mr. Christensen is an eloquent speaker and thoroughly acquainted with Sunday school and the young people's work.

Sold Antiques Barring
At Saturday's police court a George Street auctioneer offered an information against a man who peddles fish in the market building. The auctioneer said the vendor sold him from fish that when thawed out proved to have died many days before being sold. The case will be tried this morning. When he communicated with the vendor told him to go to a better place than the market building.

Local Girls Get Bad News.
Rose and Mary Conway, two girls who have been attending the Continuation Classes in connection with St. Peter's School, left Saturday morning for Hastings, en route to their home, where five miles from Hastings and then half an hour after their departure the children's aunt, Mrs. James Murray, 264 Lake street with whom they had been staying, received a letter to the effect that Rose and Mary Conway had been killed last night. The details of the fatality are unknown.

Wages Their Target
While Peterborough soldiers are now in the front, it might be mentioned that thirty years ago Peterborough voters went to Egypt during the Mahdi Movement. Jack White, a brother of Mr. G.W. Halliday of this city and who is called up by his past life and took leave through the Nile estuaries on

their way to ultimate victory. The same spirit actuates Peterborough and Canadians now to fight against the machinations of a paranoic German Kaiser!

Saturday's Police Court
At Saturday's police court Hector Smith was charged with having been found drunk on Brock street. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$5. He also was granted two hours to go home and secure the money. Patrick McConill pleaded guilty to having been drunk in a local hotel. McConill, when ordered by the proprietor to leave the bar, drew his coat and remarked, "I can kick anyone in the house." He was fined, with costs, \$5.25.

A PORT HOPE WALL.
Guide: The better market at the Town Hall is packed with turkeys, geese and chickens this morning, and at the time of writing the tour was still pouring in. They had been purchased by Mr. Parsons and were being shipped to Rochester. This may have the effect of raising the price to-morrow, and we cannot understand why the better market was turned over for any such purpose.

Lindsay Man To See
Lindsay Post: Mr. W. White, son of Conductor W. H. White, of Lindsay, was home on a visit to his parents on Thursday. Mr. White, it will be remembered, was the victim of undesirable promises by being arrested in Galt, on a serious charge, although entirely innocent of the same. As a result of the trouble, inconvenience and expense Mr. White has been put to, to say nothing of the reflection on his character he has instructed Mr. T. C. L. Johnston, K.C., the brilliant Toronto lawyer, to bring action against the Union Bank, which issued the warrant for his arrest, for false arrest.

CHANGE IN LOCAL FIRM
Messrs. Morrison & McLean have for some months been local representatives of the Scottish Woollen Mills with a store on Hunter street, near the Oriental Hotel. Mr. Morrison has purchased the interest of Mr. McLean. Mr. Morrison claims to be in the city has made a lot of friends here. He will undoubtedly build up a big business on an already substantial foundation. Mr. McLean was also very popular among his many friends here. Mr. McLean has in contemplation an offer to go into business at South Bay. He is a safe bet that if he goes to the South he will make a little better than good.

Social and Personal
Members of the local committee to assist in the relief of the Russian people are holding a series of social evenings at the local hall. The first of these was held on Saturday evening.

Mr. J.W. Maloney of Kams was a guest at the White House Saturday.

Messrs. G. J. Kay and T. Mahan of Hastings registered at the White House on Saturday.

Mr. W. J. Donovan, of Peterborough was in town on business Friday. Mr. W. J. Donavan, of Peterborough was in town on business Friday. Mr. W. J. Donavan, of Peterborough was in town on business Friday.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Port Hope is to have a new inflation plant.
Bays are selling in Peterborough at 45 cents a dozen.
Trains are crossing the Ontario river on the ice at Orillia's Cove.
Saturday's market was exceptionally well attended, despite the inclement weather.
A Port Hope thief who stole four

Judging by the condition of the Custom House flag, Peterborough has suffered from an air raid.

Street markets seem to be bothering the girls at Port Hope. It is time somewhere should meet the markets.

The Right Reverend Dr. Rowe, assistant Bishop of Toronto, preached in St. John's Church, Lindsay, yesterday, morning and evening.

The Home Guard recently formed in Lindsay has had several successful meetings and the improvements in the drill are very marked.

Two for milk mixing and one for butter were all the articles lost on the market square on Saturday morning which were reported to the Chief of Police.

Joe Mark, the actor, who visits towns and cities large and small, says that Peterborough is a good deal better, off, in business conditions at present than many other Canadian towns.

Mr. John Marvin had been advertising of his present business shop, at corner of Hunter and Aylmer streets, in the Times of Dec. 24th, 1914. Thirty years ago, and Jack is still all to the good.

Ald. Duncan is a candidate for the Mayorship of Peterborough. Mr. Duncan is an applicant for this City's highest honor in Municipal honors. Mr. Duncan is a good man with long experience in Municipal work as is the present Mayor Billy Baker.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

The management of the Grand Opera House takes great pleasure in announcing to their patrons the appearance of that Prince of Comedians, Tom Marks, and a company of music for six nights, commencing Monday, December 21st, to the 26th.

The management feel justified in recommending this splendid attraction to their patrons, for the aim of the Tom Marks Company has always been to give the public the best that brains and money can bring them, and this season is no exception. Mr. Mark's careful selection of the most faithfully portray the different roles, and also the splendid vanderbilt offered between the acts, makes the Tom Marks Company rank high in public favor. To-night the Company will present the clever four-act comedy "The Golden Rule," a play that reaches the heart and teaches a lesson that could be learned even better than a sermon.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a Quarterly Dividend of Two and One-Half per Cent. being at the rate of Two per Cent. per annum for the (8) three months ending 31st December, 1914, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the office of the Company in this City on and after January 1st, 1915.

The Transfer Book will be closed from the 15th to the 31st days of December, both days inclusive. By order of the Board. W. J. MORROW, Managing Director.

THE FATE OF WARSAW IN THE BALANCE

London, Dec. 18.—The most desperate fighting of the entire eastern campaign is now developing on a line within 30 miles of the city of Warsaw. Berlin is celebrating what is declared there to be a great victory over the Russians, as a result of an official statement that the army's offensive against Poznan and Silesia has completely broken down.

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for the complete supremacy is yet to be fought. By re-establishing their main position about Sochaczew, the Russians have retreated fifteen miles from the How-Lowis line. The Germans are today reported to be vigorously shelling the Russian positions and an important railway town which the Czar's army is now guarding has already been damaged. The German forces engaged in the main advance upon Warsaw is now said to number more than 200,000 men. The Russians have an even greater force and reinforcements are still being poured into the battle region.

RUTHLESSNESS WILL COME HOME TO ROOST

New York, Dec. 18.—Commenting editorially on the German raid on the east coast of England, the Tribune this morning says: "At Scarborough and Whitby, there was no defense made, and the only victims of the German gun fire were non-combatants, including women and children."

"Such ruthlessness will come home to roost. Germany cannot escape the responsibility for having taken the first step towards restoring barbarism which the world had fondly hoped to see eliminated from the practice of war."

The New York Times says: "The ruthless bombardment of our fortified towns and utterly useless massacre of non-combatants have not only shocked the people of other nations, but have aroused a world-wide feeling of angry protest which cannot fail to be prejudicial to Germany."

London, Dec. 18.—The Daily Chronicle in an editorial on the German raid on the east coast of England, says:

"It is hard to be the recognized practice of a civilized navy to bombard undefended coastal towns and villages. Is the Hague convention of 1907 on land bombardment by naval forces to be dropped by the civilized world? Countries like Germany and Austria with small coast lines and few ports, need not mind, but the vast length of the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States will suffer terribly."

UNITED STATES SYMPATHY IS LUKE WARM

London, Dec. 18.—Miss Campbell is today combating the notion along the coast between Newcastle and Peterborough. The sinking of 3 ships in this region by striking mines yesterday, only suggested the anger to which the British have been accused by the attack upon undefended cities and killing of defenceless women and children.

The British are unable to understand how the United States and other neutral countries can further ignore the violations of the laws of civilized warfare, of which they charge the Germans are guilty. Newspapers express the opinion that the United States should protest to Germany against a resumption of such attacks as were made against the three English towns.

Many of the refugees came back to Scarborough and Hartlepool to find the houses from which they fled reduced to a mass of ruins. The authorities of all coast cities are today busily engaged organizing the citizens and planning local defence measures. This will consist chiefly in maintaining a constant watch on the coast for hostile warships and arranging for speedy transportation of civilians from the towns should the Germans decide to appear. At present there are no indications that the Admiralty intends to change its plan for the distribution of British dreadnoughts and cruisers. The coast patrol will be left to the destroyers and light cruisers as before, which means that the fast battleships of the navy might be able again to reach the coast if lured by the fog as they were on Wednesday last. One of the German vessels engaged in the raid two days ago is declared to have been the Von Helldorf, a sister ship of the Gudenow, now part of the Turkish navy.

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If such amateur post offices would keep open on Sundays and five days they would be a great boon, as very few of the Government ones are then available. An improvement which would be immensely appreciated by the public would be the authorization of "expressing" letters from ordinary offices. This is now only possible at railway stations and the general post office.

A POWERFUL LIGHT

Giant Eye in Heligoland Lighthouse Observed Forty Miles Away

The new light recently installed in the famous Lighthouse on the island of Heligoland, in the North Sea, can claim the distinction of being the most powerful flashlight in European waters if not in the world. It is equal to 40,000,000 candle power, and in normal weather is clearly visible a distance of thirty miles out to sea. The flashes themselves, which last but a tenth of a second, have been observed by people standing on the Mole at Bournemouth, over forty miles away. The cost of maintenance for the giant eye amounts to about \$5,000 a year.

No Paper Supply
With the "biggest story" in his eye at their front doors, newspapers in Paris and London may be forced to suspend before they can print it. The supply of paper is very limited. Paris papers print but two pages in small size and have cut out the margins in order to hasten their recovery. In London, the great Times and News 24 to six pages and other papers 16

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MEN'S FANCY CHRISTMAS BOXED ARM BANDS, 25c

An especially attractive "Xmas Put Up" of Men's Fancy Arm Bands. Colors are navy, sky, grey and white. Each pair separately boxed. A most useful gift moderately priced. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, 25c

MEN'S 40c FANCY BOXED SUSPENSERS, XMAS ANNEX 20c

Special 40c value, this line of Men's Suspensers should find many purchasers. Good quality elastic webbing, white leather tips, patent adjusters. Each pair in fancy gift box. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, 20c

BOYS' AND GIRLS' 10c TONGUES, FIVE DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 20c

A factory clearing lot of heavy hosiery and cashmere knit, long and short tongues. Obtainable in plain colors and color combinations. All are regular 30c values. During the 5 Days' Xmas Annex, 20c

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Regular size English Tapestry Cushion Tops; very attractive floral designs and colors of red, green and lawn. A suitable gift for the home at a very modest price. 5 Days' Xmas Annex Special, 15c

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Miles and miles of Val and Torchon Laces; edgings and insertions. Regular values 50c, 8c, and 10c a yard. Widths to 2 1/2 inches. Numerous different patterns. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, per yard 25c; or, per dozen yards 25c

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FINE SUEDS COLLAR BAGS, 5 DAYS' XMAS ANNEX, 44c

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Popular boys' and girls' authors, such as Hardy, Alger, Meadows, Mowbray and Holmes; a splendid selection of titles, each copy regular 25c value. These books are all cloth bound. A dandy gift for the young folks. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, 15c

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An especially low price on these black Jet and Sequin Collars; they are all regular 85c and \$1.00 values. A splendid assortment of styles and sizes, some with long pointed ends. Five Days' Xmas Annex, 39c

MEN'S \$1.00 FLANNELLETTES COWNS 77c

These Cowns are made of extra quality English Flannellette, a quality that will launder well. They are a generous size, and sell every day at \$1.00. Sizes 14 to 18. Will make a very practical gift. 5 Days' Xmas Annex, 77c

Dainty New White Blouses 89c

An exceptional Xmas Annex offering of dainty white embroidered blouses; every one is made in the latest approved style with self lay-down collar, set-in sleeves, lovely lace and insertion trimmings. Sizes 34 to 42. For mother, sister or friend one of these charming blouses would indeed make a pleasing gift. Value extraordinary. on Wednesday 89c



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Two lines of Fancy Boxed Stationery, each containing one quire of linen paper and twenty-four envelopes to match. A very suitable gift for young and old, and one sure to be appreciated. Five Day Xmas Annex, Worth 50c. Xmas Annex, 25c. Worth 25c. Xmas Annex, 14c

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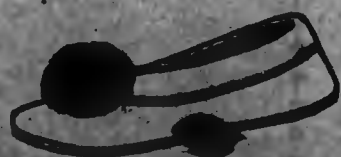
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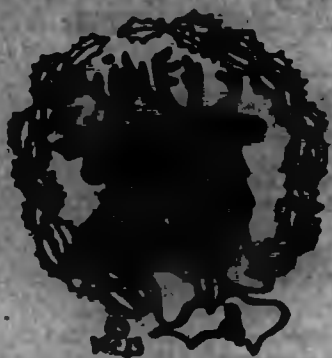
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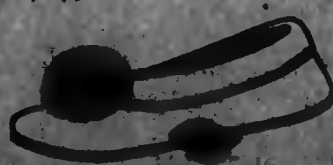
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Mr. John Simpson, of Muskoka, who is an engine driver on the C.P.R. yesterday passed through the City en route to spend Christmas with his father, Mr. Alex. Simpson, at Bushboro. Mr. Simpson was for years in the employ of the Hudson Co., and has a host of friends in the city.

A Christmas Shooting Match

The Peterboro Gun Club holds a shooting match for turkeys on their club grounds at the end of the C. G. R. on Sun. at 9:30 Christmas morning. The public is cordially invited to attend, particularly members of the Home Guard. Once and ammunition will be furnished at the grounds.

Coming Local Horse

Mr. James Blackman, the well-known harnessman of Ling was in the city yesterday on business. Asked by the Times "Mr. Blackman how you are getting on?" he replied: "Yes, I have a 'dark horse' that will make people sit up and take notice. The horse is a gelding named 'Sir Waller'. I've trained him this winter but look out for him next summer. He'll go 'then all granding'."

Local Boys on Vacation

Messrs. J. M. Fitzgerald, Frank Quillen, Michael Gannon and Thomas Furedo, four of the Crough boys, and Tom McAllister, of Kamsay, and Wm. Hayes, W. Maher of Peterborough, who have been attending Ottawa College, are home for the Christmas vacation. They report the weather at the Capital as extremely cold. They return to Ottawa January 7th.

At Theatre Show

A lady, sitting on Melbourne Street, spent Sunday, Monday and Tuesday in Toronto. On Tuesday morning she suddenly showed her husband as she drove home that she had purchased. This story is placed along the line or spine of a chair. It takes time.

minutes for the wire coils to become heated. She made the connection with her kitchen electric light. The wires did not at once become heated. She turned to her husband and exclaimed: "I believe I've been swindled. Have you got a match in your pocket to start the stove going?"

A Fine Indian Map

In the north window of Mr. W. E. Leck's hatstore on George street is shown one of the most interesting collections of Indian curios ever seen here. The collection was loaned to Mr. Leck by Mr. Max Hamilton, who was late Hon. Robt. Hamilton, who was Hudson Bay Co. agent at Norway House, Manitoba. The collection shows beautiful specimens of Indian women's handiwork. There are dachin garments, moccasins, gloves, etc., beautifully decorated by stained porcupine quills, silk, etc. One learns the possibilities of our western prairie when one sees a bright red and a true blue flower growing on the same stalk. With this one exceptional exception, the collection is unique.

Local Horse News

Things are looking bright for the Ontario Winter Races. As regards the movement of local horses, it might be said that "Ora Terrell" owned by Mr. Charlie Fife, of Kamsay, was shipped on Tuesday night to Toronto to take part in the 3:35 class. Frank Montgomery's horse "Jimmy Diver", 2:15, is being given a series of workouts at the Exhibition grounds. "Jimmy Diver" is stepping well and only worked to about 30. This horse will start in the 14 class at DuPont Park, Toronto, on January 7th. "Ora Terrell," owing to a slight cold recently contracted will not be shipped for some time yet.

Local Officer Back

On Tuesday night a number of Canadian officers arrived from Salisbury Plains, England. They were returned simply because there was an over-plus of officers at that Camp. Yesterday a Times reporter had a chat with Lieut. Johnston. In reply to questions put the Lieutenant stated that on account of the late being ordered at Salisbury Plains he looked to him as though the first Canadian Contingent would do garrison duty in England for some months. Asked when speaking of a trip to London, whether that city, as did American cities during the Spanish-American war, display many flags, he replied, "No, very few flags are displayed. On Trafalgar Square there are flags and appeals for recruits. The Australian building also has a big display of flags and bunting."

BIRTHS

WEIR.—On Sunday, December 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Weir, of 241 Stewart street, a son. Both mother and son doing well.

TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN CO.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Quarterly Dividend of Two and One-Half Per Cent. being at the rate of Two per cent. per annum for the (3) three months ending 31st December, 1914, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the office of the Company in this City on and after January 1st, 1915.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st days of December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

W. G. MORROW.

Managing Director.
Peterborough,
December 14th, 1914

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MILLION-MILE RECORD

English Lad Who Became a Pride of the Pacific Coast

A half-bred and hearty Englishman of whom the Californians are proud is making his home in Guernsey, after fifty-seven years' absence. He sailed for the West when a boy of fourteen, and when twenty-one was made a captain of the ferry service at San Francisco. He returned as Captain John Leale, with his wife and two daughters to a retirement earned by establishing a rare Pacific coast record.

In fifty years' service he travelled a million miles—an average of over fifty miles a day—on the waters of Frisco Bay. He carried passengers who in this long life numbered millions, and has not lost one. This is the record of the boy.

Captain Leale was always a bold upholder of the British flag.

Port High School Council has given \$200 to their local hospital for maintenance of indigent patients.

So Friday, Christmas day there will be no school at the Times School.

It would seem that Mr. W. A. Wood, the efficient driver of North Ontario, will have no opposition this year. Mr. Wood has certainly made good as driver.

BRITISH-CANADIAN

Do you desire to make large profits on your investment in Alberta Oil Shares?

If you do you must use good judgment in the selection of the companies in which you invest.

In order that you may use this good judgment it is absolutely necessary that you investigate and analyze a company, thoroughly before placing your money in its shares.

In order that you may do this in the case of the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., we hereby give you the information, we have secured through our rigid investigation and analysis of said company, and in giving this information we would say that we believe it is correct in every detail.

(1) The British Canadian Oil, Ltd., is incorporated for \$1,000,000; 10,000,000 shares at the par value of 10c.

(2) About 500,000 shares of the stock have already been sold, and are now in the hands of the investing public.

(3) The Directors' and Officers' stock is all paid.

(4) The Company is the holder of petroleum and natural gas leases on over 7,000 acres of land in the Province of Alberta.

(5) The Directors, Officers and Solicitors of the Company are all reliable and conscientious business men who have the welfare of the company at heart, and who desire in every manner in their power to give the public a square run for their money.

(6) The Company is now erecting on Section 31, Township 24, Range 4, an up-to-date combination rotary and standard rig.

(7) The Company expects to commence drilling inside of 3 days, and continue with all possible despatch.

(8) The Company has secured as Field Superintendent a man who knows his business thoroughly.

(9) The said Superintendent has engaged competent drillers to carry out his instructions.

(10) The treasury of the Company is now well financed.

(11) A reputable local geologist in reporting on adjoining property makes the following statement in said report:

"There is a plunging tendency in the crest of the anticline which causes its crest to sink toward the Elbow river. The crest of this dome-shaped structure seems to be in the neighborhood of Section 31, of Township 24, and Section 6 of Township 25."

(12) A reputable petroleum engineer in reply to an enquiry from us, stated that the lease held by the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., in Section 31, is situated on the most perfect anticline he has seen in Western Alberta.

(13) British Canadian shares are listed on the three Calgary exchanges, and are very active traders.

(14) The price of British Canadian shares is very low at the present time; we expect to see it go much higher.

In view of the above information secured by us, we have no hesitation whatever in advising you to at once buy the shares of the British Canadian Oil, Limited, at 15c per share, believing that you will get a square run for your money, and big profits on your investment.

We are prepared to fill your orders for British Canadian shares at 15c each, but this price is subject to raise without notice. Any new strike in the oil field, or any other exciting report might send this stock to a very high price. We would suggest that you wire us at our expense and let your remittance follow, or if you prefer, write us and enclose your remittance.

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Robert McGeorge who was nominated by the Trades and Labour Council as Labor candidate in the aldermanic elections, has decided not to enter the field.

Principal and Mrs. Kitchener of the Lindsay School, Ontario, are now visiting in Peterborough.

Wednesday's market was fairly well attended by farmers, but was a small one for the last market day before Christmas.

What is the matter with Government contractors? The Government has been paying them for a long time, but they have not been paid yet.

Social and Personal

Mrs. A. J. Grant is in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. J. B. L. Goodwill spent Wednesday in Toronto.

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at the Seaside House yesterday.

Mr. B. Hamilton of the Royal Military College is spending his holidays at Seaside.

Mr. W. Johnston of Montreal will be in the city with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Treadwell and their family are going to Toronto to spend Christmas with Mrs. Treadwell in Dorset Road, Toronto.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

For the care of neglected and ill-treated children, incorporated by Act of Legislature, 1893. Information regarding the Society may be obtained from the Secretary, 110 St. George Street, Toronto.

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GERMAN AEROPLANE DROPS BOMBS ON DOVER

BRITISH SHELLS NOW OUTCLASS THE GERMAN "BLACK MARIAS"

London, Dec. 24.—Tommy Atkins look still flourishes amongst us. The German have raised four new Army Corps of all sorts, but their attacks have in each case been repulsed with considerable, or rather enormous losses. Round Ypres the fighting still continues in its severity, and out of a division of the Germans, consisting chiefly of the Prussian Guard, a mere handful remains. We have this on unimpeachable authority. A German full strength division consists of something like 18,000 men, and now not 1,000 remain.

"The infantry immediately in front of us have not fought any German Regulars for the past twelve days. The prisoners we are taking vary greatly in age, the oldest being about eighty-five, and the youngest about six. The latter are going well with us still, and the optimistic out-

MERRY CHRISTMAS

TODAY is the greatest Festival known in the world's history. It is a day not celebrated as recalling the result of any battle or political event. It is known to even the youngest child as the Day on which the Saviour of Mankind was born. It is the day to which Christians in every portion of the world look backward to with ardent reverence. Some 1914 years ago the wise men of the East followed a star miraculously shining in the heavens. To-day the great festival is, with millions of brave men fighting in Belgium, France, Russia, Africa, made a burlesque on the axioms of Christianity through the ambition and greed of the German Kaiser. The well-known theory of the "survival of the fittest" will as surely be proven as the sun rises in the East and sets in the West. England, Belgium, Serbia, France, and Russia are gaining daily against German militarism and "culture." Let us hope that this time next year the war will be over, and the world's business restored to a normal condition. In the meantime, although suffering from a temporary business depression let us have faith in the future. With the God of Justice and Right guiding the brains of our Generals, and the actions of our brave troops, we can confidently look forward to a decisive victory.

Let us wish our subscribers, and the public in general, a very Merry Christmas, and a prosperous New Year.

ATTEMPTS OF GERMANS TO REGAIN THEIR LOST GROUND UNSUCCESSFUL

Paris, Dec. 24.—Advances are being made in Belgium near the coast by the mining of sand dunes. This is reported to-day in the official communication which announces the repulse of all German along the battle front. The Belgians have gained ground along the right bank of the Yser south of Merville.

The official statement to-day does not report extensive advances along the whole front such as the previous communications of the week have announced. The number of German counter attacks appear to indicate that the allies are now meeting with more stubborn resistance, and that the enemy is making strenuous efforts to regain the ground which has been lost to the general advance of French and British.

Russians Are Pouring Great Reinforcements Into Poland

PETROGRAD, December 24.—Great forces of Russians are being poured into Poland between Kofce and Radom to-day, as well as to the south, in an effort to check the German advance, which has forced a retirement from Cracow.

The success of the Austro-German movement from the region of Pietrkow, it is now admitted, resulted in threatening the communications of the army about Cracow. This was followed by the retirement of the Russians to the south, thirty miles east of Cracow. The advance of the Germans was directed towards the main railway line from Lvov, running southwest to Mierow, along which the Russian movement upon Cracow was conducted. The general withdrawal of the Russians from the Vistula to Galicia has now placed their main line of defence within 20 miles of Warsaw, on their right wing. The retirement on the south straightened the Russian line, which now presents an unbroken front extending over 160 miles.

German attempts to force the passage of the Bzura and the Rawka rivers in the main attack upon Warsaw have been repulsed. The Russian artillery has swept all points at which crossing might be made for three days. Skiermiewice has been reached by the Germans, but the Russians have taken up strong positions east of that point.

Westward from Domagala Valley the battle against the Austrian line is gradually developing into an engagement of great proportions.

NEW LEADER FOR THE AUSTRIANS

VIENNA, via Berlin and London, December 24.—Archduke Eugene, the devoted cousin of Emperor Franz Joseph, has succeeded General Potiorek as commander of the Austrian army, which was recently driven from Serbia.

This was officially announced to-day in a statement explaining the withdrawal of the Austrians from the invaded territory the statement also asserted.



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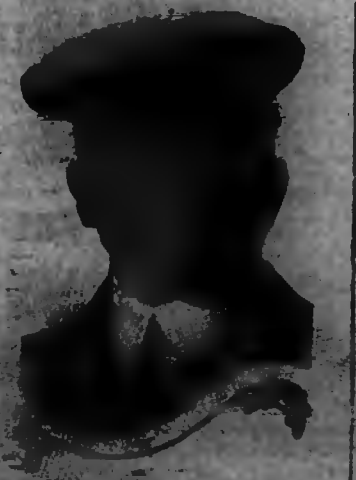
GERMAN AEROPLANE ATTACK ON DOVER

LONDON, December 24.—A GERMAN AEROPLANE TO-DAY DROPPED BOMBS UPON THE BRITISH PORT OF DOVER, THE GUNS FROM THE FAMOUS PORT FIRED UPON THE HOSTILE AIR CRAFT, BUT THE LATEST REPORTS INDICATE THAT THE AEROPLANE PROBABLY ESCAPED DOVER IN THE EVENING.

This is really the second attack that has been made upon Dover by German aeroplanes.

A heavy fog prevailed to-day which aided the German aeroplane in making its escape. A British machine took to the air in pursuit of the enemy, but failed to overtake the hostile craft. No damage is reported.

The War Office statement declared: "One of the enemy's aeroplanes was seen over Dover at 10.35 this morning. A bomb was dropped which exploded in a garden, and no damage was done. The aeroplane fell out to sea, followed by a British air craft, but the pursuit was unavailing. The weather was foggy."



CAPTAIN R. A. BATEMAN-CHAM-PAINE

who commands a destroyer flotilla with headquarters at Gravelines, Scotland. He was formerly commander of the "HMS" training ship at Portsmouth, which officered and was wrecked on the service on Grand Banks.

French Cruiser Torpedoed By Austrian Submarine, But Escaped

LONDON, December 24.—An official statement given out in Paris to-day, says an Austrian submarine torpedoed a French armored cruiser in the Gulf of Otranto. The battleship was damaged only slightly. No one was injured. The official communication issued to-day by the French Minister of Marine, says: "An Austrian submarine fired two torpedoes at a French armored cruiser in the Straits of Otranto, one of them exploding forward. The damage done to the vessel was unimportant. None of the crew were injured."

X-RAYS TO SEARCH OUT CONTRABAND

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—X-Rays to discover hidden contraband of war is the latest exploit of the British consulate here. Three operators are to-day taking photographs of 10,000 bales of cotton consigned to Bremen, Germany. Each bale as it is lowered on the "City of Macon" scheduled to sail on Monday is searched by-rays for arms, ammunition, or other contraband goods.

COUNTER ATTACK TO EMBARRASS GERMANS

PETROGRAD, December 24.—Large Russian troops are moving towards Cracow from the North and East. An important battle is developing here. The holding of the German advance on Warsaw, combined with this counter attack is expected to compel a German retirement.

ANOTHER BIG VICTORY FOR RUSSIAN FORCES

LONDON, December 24.—A Russian official statement reaching here to-day says: "In Galicia our success continues. South of the Vistula we captured during the 20th and 21st sixty-six men, three cannons, and ten mitrailleuses."

"In the Carpathians, while pursuing the retreating Austrians, we captured on December 22, thirty officers, and about 7,500 men. Near Przemyśl the Austrians attempted a new sortie during which several of their advance companies were completely annihilated. Other advance companies were made prisoners. In this affair we seized about a mile of railway leading to the city."



GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS NIKOLAEVICH
Commander-in-Chief of the Russian Army

GERMANS INVADE PORTUGUESE AFRICA WITH A STRONG FORCE

London, December 24.—The latest invasion by the Germans of Angola, Portuguese African Province, is officially acknowledged, according to a Lisbon dispatch received here to-day.

The Germans are declared to have approached Namibia, with artillery and one thousand men. The Portuguese garrison was engaged for a short time in delivering a counter attack on the Germans, but withdrew and reinforcements are now being awaited. The government to-day is accused of complete support in any action that may be taken towards defending this colony or even to securing the European war as an ally of England.

HALF MILLION PUDDINGS FOR BOYS AT THE FRONT

London, Dec. 24.—Every man in British uniform, on land or at sea, will have a pudding for his Christmas dinner to-morrow. The Christmas Pudding Fund has raised a sum amounting to over \$50,000, and provided over a half-million puddings. These have been despatched to the front in the North Sea and elsewhere, and also to such distant points as Gibraltar, Malta, and Cyprus, and also to the battle line.

Even the interned men in Holland will have their Christmas pudding to-morrow.

It is wished to cover up their eyes, but the soldiers forced their arms down with the bayonets. They were left in this agony for another hour before the order was given to fire.

So fierce were the repeated volleys that the dead were hardly recognizable. Anyone who showed signs of life was despatched, either with the butt-end of a rifle or a bayonet.

Town Thoroughly Looted
The town was thoroughly looted, the soldiers sparing not even the houses of the poor while the jewelry shops were stripped of their stock. Two hundred and eight houses were set on fire.

"I captured in a ditch 234 civilians who had been shot."

"In Hainaut, civilians as the world has already heard, perished by the hundreds. Perhaps 1500 were killed. The men were shot in the presence of their wives and children. They were first riddled with bullets, and then cut into shreds by machine gun fire."

"The commander adopted a lofty town in regard to the whole matter, asserting that these methods were necessary in order that the Belgians might be properly impressed, to prevent the horrors of war. He said the Belgians had killed enough Germans in Liege, and asked unimpeachable evidence to warrant any sort of mistreatment."

BLIZZARD AT HOME C USES MUCH DAMAGE

Nome, Alaska, Dec. 24.—A furious blizzard, which has been raging for the last three days, has forced the sailing ship to pack up against the backs of the buildings where so much

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POPE STILL HOPES FOR EARLY PEACE IN WAR RIDDEN EUROPE

Rome, Dec. 24.—Pope Benedict XIII. to the hope of early peace in Europe, despite the failure of his first efforts and the rejection of his proposal for a Christmas truce. At the Christmas reception to the members of the sacred college to-day, the Holy Father declared property was destroyed by the great

that he would continue to work for peace despite the failure of previous attempts to bring the war to an end. "I shall never cease doing all in my power for a war suffering humanity," the Pope said, "and I have firm conviction in my heart that with the help of God, peace will soon come."

BRITISH HOSPITAL SHIP REACHES LIVERPOOL

Liverpool, Dec. 24.—The hospital ship "HMS" arrived by the British liner, and into Liverpool harbor to-day with about fifty hundred sick and wounded, collected from Ypres, working in the North Sea. Some were in rather bad condition, and had to be carried in stretchers to the waiting ambulances, but the majority were able to walk. From one of the convalescents a small idea of their life in the North Sea was gathered. He said:

"We are getting on all right in the North Sea. It is hardly cold out there but we don't mind. At times the fog is a bit annoying, but we have

storm in October, 1913, and has driven the water further inland than it has been in several years. All trails are impassable, and several mining camps along the shore are surrounded by water. All attempts to move the mine have been abandoned, because the dog teams cannot cross the bridges and are unable to go against the blizzard.

It all misery. Some of our vessels had a look more than once at the German ships, and if they would only come out we could settle the whole lot with our big guns. The Germans do not touch our big ships, but only the smaller ones. We give chase to their submarines when seen and make them clear off—though mishaps will occur. There are not so many German submarines about as people think. We have plenty of sleep, good food, and hard watching and waiting.

"Some of us had a glimpse of Heligoland, but the atmosphere was misty and the place lies low. Some of our destroyers looked in to see what was going on, but owing to the torpedo nets they could not go far enough to do any damage."

All reference to the German raid on the English coast was dropped by the captain, and the conversation at the first of that occasion can not be very clearly recalled. Neither of the sailors' references to Heligoland has any bearing on the present of the raiding German ships can only be surmised.

William, Reporter of Dec. 24.—The Inspector of the High School Department was here last week to look over the work of Mr. Thompson's and his pupils.

Both known at Local Dispensary.
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COMPLETE CONFIDENCE IN JOFFRE

Paris, Dec. 23.—The unanimous approval of all government ministers to be presented to Parliament is assured today, and with adjournment tomorrow with all measures enacted, the session marked by unprecedented patriotism and enthusiasm will pass its history. Complete confidence is placed in General Joffre, the supreme commander of the French forces.

The attack of the French and the British troops today continued throughout the battle line. It is evident, however, that the shelling of the German troops or the arrival of reinforcements have resulted in the German position being strengthened. The action along the coast continues to be marked with heavy bombardments. Between Arras and Ypres the military attacks have been especially violent.

Automobile Alarm

An inventor has designed an alarm for automobiles with the object of discouraging the car thief. It is claimed that tampering with the car in any manner without first using the key which controls the device releases the alarm to ring for forty-eight hours, short circuits the ignition wires, and turns off the petrol. Since it is claimed that the alarm cannot be stopped until two whole days have passed, a thief could not get very far with his stolen car.

An Extraordinary Paper

One of the most extraordinary newspapers on record is a weekly published in the little German town of Gruningen. As the place is too small to support more than one paper, the "Wochenblatt" is the official organ of the two local political parties, the Liberals and the Socialists. Half the pages are written by members of each party, an arrangement that seems to satisfy both sides.



Baroness de Pallandt

That it costs much money to live a baroness was the scientific fact discovered by Dr. Ernest V. Appleby, a former college professor who ten years ago met Baroness May Pallandt on a train and became infatuated with her. Later they traveled together throughout Europe, but huge winnings at Monte Carlo and his own good-sized fortune failed to satisfy the titled lady and Appleby signed some notes to pay for a \$30,000 pearl-robe which she admired. Recently he entered suit against the baroness for their cost, but the baroness in defence claimed they were a gift.

Attempted Suicide by Fire
Linda Carter, who at Belfast Police Court was charged with attempted suicide by setting her clothing on fire, was remanded pending medical examination. A carter named "Charlie" who had set fire to her apron.

Famine in Moscow
Houses are so scarce in Berlin (Northants) that an employer had to build a house for a new workman to keep him in the village.

In Germany every inn has its room set apart for dancing, and nearly every village has dancing club.



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To-morrow's Times will not be issued, to-day being a public holiday.

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MISS DOROTHY MACVANE

covers singer whose love of snap-shooting caused her to be arrested in Italy as a French spy. She satisfied the Italian authorities, however, that she acted in perfect innocence, and was released.

A "Water" Trick
In Athens goats are marched to headquarters' doors and killed before the eyes of patrons. But this system does not prevent adulteration. The milkman wears a loose coat with wide sleeves. Around his waist is a rubber bag filled with water, and a tube runs down his arm. As he milks he presses the tube, and milk and water flow steadily together into the milk pail.

Money in Records
There is money in making records for talking machines. An American singer, not of world-wide celebrity, spent over \$50,000 on building and furnishing his house, all from the fees paid him for singing into a receiver.

HUNDREDS OF WOUNDED WERE DROWNED

Petrograd, Dec. 23.—Two thousand Germans, part of a column of the advance on Warsaw, were annihilated in an engagement along the Bzura River.

Field Fire to Close Quarters
Details of the fighting reached here today and showed that the Russians west of Warsaw pushed their artillery and did not open fire on the masked ranks of the enemy until they were in mid-stream. The destruction of life was frightful. Hundreds of wounded were swept of their feet by the current and, weighted down by their heavy equipment, were drowned. The advance was completely checked. The Germans withdrew and took cover to escape the Russian fire.

Feeding Places were Missed
At other places mines were exploded along the banks where the Germans endeavored to ford the crossing. Such explosions invariably resulted in heavy losses to the enemy and threw their ranks into the greatest confusion.

Desperate Fighting
London, Dec. 23.—The main line of the Russian defense before Warsaw has been withdrawn to within twenty miles of the Polish capital. This was indicated in the reports from Petrograd today of desperate fighting which is in progress west and north west of that city. The Russians are stubbornly opposing the attempts of the Germans to cross the Bzura and Bzorka rivers, but the forces of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg have succeeded in establishing themselves in strong positions and are pressing for every advantage.

The Montreal Register says: The B. F. Ashmun Co., of Pittsburgh, has secured an order for 1000 copies. The profits of the Howard Public School donated, this week, the sum of \$7.75 to the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.

WHITE STAR OIL



COMPANY, LIMITED

Non Personal Liability

Oil Stock is a speculative investment which gives the largest return on the amount invested that it is possible to obtain. This Statement is verified by the fact that the largest fortunes in the United States were made from speculation in oil.

The WHITE STAR OIL COMPANY, Ltd have taken every precaution to eliminate the hazardous features which usually accompany this kind of investment, viz

Each one of our different properties were approved before their purchase by an expert geologist with a great deal of experience in selecting well sites in this field.

Our holdings comprise 1000 acres which are located in the three proven districts of the Alberta Oil Field, namely The Monarch, Okotoks and Sweet Grass districts where scores of wells are now being drilled.

The Directorate of our Company is composed of substantial business men whose success in other lines of business is sufficient to warrant the stock holders a sound administration to the company's affairs.

Our Stock is now selling at 10c per share, par value \$1.00. All prospective investors may obtain further information from our representative at 246 Antrim Street. Our advice is to buy while you can get in on the ground floor before the first issue is exhausted.

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ADVERTISE IN THE MORNING TIMES

The Christmas Star

As shadows cast by cloud and yet doth the Star of Bethlehem
 sun,
 Flit o'er the summer grass,
 So, in Thy night, Almighty One,
 Earth's generations pass.
 And, as the years, an endless
 host,
 Come swiftly passing on,
 The brightest names that earth
 can boast,
 Just listen and are gone.

A lustre pure and sweet;
 And still it leads, as once it
 led,
 To the Messiah's feast.
 O Father, may that holy star
 Grow every year more bright,
 And send its glorious beams
 afar,
 To fill the world with light.

City News

FOR SALE
 Vacuum Cleaner, entirely new, never
 having been used. Cost \$19. Will sell
 very cheap. Apply at The Times office.

Greetings to Everyone

We wish everyone a Merry Christmas
 and many Happy and Prosperous New
 Years, and if you owe us any money
 kindly pay same before the end of the
 year, and if we owe you, call or send
 your bill and get paid. We will all feel
 happier by being square.

Yours respectfully,
 J. J. TURNER & SONS.

Curtains Coming Here

Norwood Register: The curtain risk
 has been put into shape and it is likely
 there will be a good show of lots
 for Christmas Day. A meeting of the
 club will likely be called soon to make
 arrangements for entering teams in
 the Peterborough Regatta, which will
 be held on Thursday, January 18th,
 and two following days.

"It's a Long Way to Tipperary"

(For the benefit of our French read-
 ers):
 "Longue est la route à Tipperary,
 C'est une loi d'y aller;
 Longue est la route à Tipperary,
 La distance est bien longue.
 Pour voir, l'écritelle,
 Plus tard, l'écritelle, l'écritelle,
 Longue, longue est la route à Tip-
 perary,
 Mais y va mon cœur."

L. O. L. Officers Elected

The following officers for L. O. L.
 No. 577 were elected at the last meet-
 ing of the Lodge:
 P. M.—Bro. E. Thibault.
 W. M.—Bro. W. J. Scott.
 D. M.—Bro. E. J. Williams.
 Chap.—Bro. M. Thibault.
 R. S.—Bro. Thos. Morrison.
 F. S.—Bro. M. Stevenson.
 Treas.—Bro. R. Jasper.
 D. of C.—Bro. A. McLean, Jr.

Christmas Gifts

Day before yesterday a married
 man living on Murray street found a
 box of 20 cigars hidden in his wife's
 chest of drawers. He wanted a safety
 razor set, for Xmas. The husband re-
 marked to his wife, after finding
 the box of cigars: "My dear, I
 have decided to cut out smoking al-
 together." His wife, who was wise to
 the situation, took the box back to
 a George street drug store and ex-
 changed it for a bottle of "Eau de
 Cologne" and three boxes of Tobac-
 co Powder, which the husband will
 get today.

Yesterday's Police Court

At yesterday's police court Richard
 Garry was charged with having been
 drunk. As Chief Thompson said Garry
 was practically in the delirious
 stage when arrested. He was remanded
 for a week to sober up. Ernest Ste-
 phens pleaded guilty to having been
 drunk. Ernest had to pay \$5.00
 and spent for his slip from the water
 wagon. A local young man pleaded
 guilty to having been drunk and
 disorderly. P. C. Kidd, in the box said
 Garry was inside the fire line at a
 fire and prisoner told him he didn't
 want to go back to talk to him.
 Chief Thompson said the prisoner was in
 the way of the firemen. P. C. Coulson
 said the prisoner was drunk. The pris-
 oner, in the witness box, said he only
 had two drinks. The prisoner was
 fined \$5, but when it was found out he
 had a family dependent on him the
 fine was reduced to \$2, to be paid in
 six days.

LOCAL MENTION

Mr. Ross Hogg of Norwood, has been
 named as President of the Ontario
 College of Pharmacy, Toron-

To-day being Christmas Day, and a
 public holiday, The Times will not be
 issued to-morrow morning.

Major-General Mac. Nam. Hughes
 sent a telegram of condolence to Mrs.
 Ross, Lindsay, over their loss by fire.

Two services were held yesterday in
 St. Luke's Church.

Civil employees whose wages were
 not due until to-day were paid yester-
 day. The Christmas spirit.

Yesterday evening Mr. Munro, the ef-
 ficient manager of the local Radial
 Railway Co., realizing the big demand
 at Christmas time on street car ser-
 vice, had the cars running until mid-
 night.

Well, this is Christmas Day! Many
 of us are in hard luck at present, still
 despite the ambitious and greed of the
 Kaiser we will get there again, and
 rise superior to lost hopes and Ger-
 man domination. You can't keep down
 the Crocks, and particularly Peter-
 borough Crocks.

Many Union Jacks will be flying
 on January 3rd next. That will be
 intervention day, when prayers will
 be publicly made for success of the
 Allied armies.

Social and Personal

Students of the Times are requested
 to show or send to the editor any
 items of personal news or any other
 items that may come to their
 attention.

Hastings Star: Mrs. W. A. Falls is
 spending Xmas with her daughter,
 Mrs. McMillan, of Peterborough.

Miss Hill, of Peterborough, is the
 guest of Mrs. Frank Hill.

Mrs. Jas. Booth, of 176 Sherbrooke
 street, received a letter that was re-
 covered from the Empress of Ireland.

Mrs. J. H. Wagon left yesterday to
 visit her daughters in Rochester and
 Cleveland.

Mrs. Robert M. Todd, of Montreal,
 is the guest of his parents, Mr. and
 Mrs. R. J. Todd, Aylmer street.

Messrs. Wallace J. Harris, Harry
 Evans and Norman Drake, of Detroit,
 are home for Christmas.

Miss L. and N. Mallat, of Chicago
 are visiting their parents during the
 holidays.

Mr. Hayward Rogers, member of the
 second contingent, Kingston, is home
 for Christmas.

Mr. Harry Long has returned from
 Irua, Alberta, and will spend the win-
 ter in the City.

Mr. Harold Hill, of Kingston, is vis-
 iting in Lakeside.

Mr. Melville Thornton, of the Times
 staff, is spending the holiday at his
 home in Balwynagh.

Mr. Wm. Henderson left yesterday to
 spend a few days at his home in
 Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Healey, Lindsay,
 are spending the holiday with their
 son, Mr. Ernest E. Healey, City.

Mr. Ernie Henley, of Toronto, is
 visiting friends in the City.

TOM MARKS COMPANY AT THE GRAND TODAY

The Tom Marks' versatile comedy-
 dramatic company presented the charm-
 ing comedy-drama, "The Men From
 Canada" to a large and demonstrative
 audience at the Grand Opera House
 last night. In this play the company
 contained their well deserved reputa-
 tion for versatility and real histrionic
 work, to say nothing of their splendid
 and varied vocal-verse numbers between
 acts.

The country scene was an ex-
 ceptional number of the evening, and
 the genuine thoroughbred carried home by
 a considerable number of the audience
 was "worth while."

This old-time favorite, Tom Marks,
 and his talented company will give a
 matinee today and a performance to-
 night. Their offerings will afford op-
 portunity for spending a merry Xmas
 afternoon and evening.

CATARHIAL FOREHEAD PAINS GO QUICK! SNIFFLING, CLOGGED NOSTRILS CURED

Run a stick of Cold Catarrh in about three minutes if you are
 suffering from this trouble. It is guaranteed to
 cure you. The Cold Catarrh is a disease of the
 nasal cavity and is caused by a germ which
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PRICE TWO CENTS

Metz Now Being Bombarded by the French Austrian Warships Are Damaged by Mines DID AEROPLANE WHICH ATTACKED DOVER SINK IN CHANNEL?

NO TROUBLE AT SALISBURY PLAINS CORRESPONDENT LOSES HIS RANK

OTTAWA, December 26.—There has been no friction between General Hume, Hughes and Gen. Alderson, who is in command of the first Canadian contingent. Cordial messages are passing constantly between the minister of militia and General Alderson.

A day or two ago a cable was sent by a Canadian correspondent with the troops at Salisbury Plains, stating that there was friction, and that as a result the resignation of Gen. Alderson might soon be expected.

General Hughes returned from Lindsey to-day and gave an emphatic denial to the statement.

The correspondent who called the story has been given a supernumerary appointment to enable him to remain with the troops. This commission has been cancelled. There are other complaints against this correspondent.

THE FRENCH ARE MAKING GOOD PROGRESS AGAINST FOE IN ALSACE

Big German Forces Repulsed—Keenly Contested Battles—Germans Repeatedly Counter-Attack the Allies Offensive Movements. Germans Thrust Back Along the Line Before Warsaw. Russians Have Advantage at Cracow

London, December 27.—Although stating that further progress has been made, to-day's communication from the French War Office lays emphasis on the repeated attacks by the Germans, who, however, have undertaken a series of vigorous counter-attacks in response to the offensive movement of the Allies.

Reports of three German attacks at ground over considerable sections of the front, involving large bodies of troops; but the assertion is made that all were checked. Possible progress in Alsace is claimed by the French.

FRANTIC EFFORTS OF GERMANS OF NO AVAIL

Paris, Dec. 24.—Advances are being made in Belgium near the coast by the mining of sand dunes. This is reported to-day in the official communication which announced the repulse of all German attacks along the front. The Belgians have gained ground along the right bank of the Yser south of Dixmude.

The official statement to-day does not report extensive advance along the whole front such as the previous communications of the week have announced. The number of German counter-attacks appear to indicate that the allies are now meeting with more obstinate resistance, and that the enemy is making strenuous efforts to regain the ground which has been lost to the general advance of French and British.

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FRENCH ARTILLERY IS BOMBARDING METZ AEROPLANE PATROL TO GUARD LONDON

PARIS, December 26.—The outer defences of the fortress of Metz are reported to-day to be under fire from the French artillery. An offensive movement started early in December against Metz is declared to have resulted in the advance of the French lines beyond the village of Arnville and through the forest of Le Prietre. Only by extremely bitter fighting have the French lines been advanced and the Germans cleared from the heights within a range of the outer forts. The French guns are now declared to have been brought up for bombardment.

GERMANS HAVE NOW THREE PLANS FOR RETREAT

NEW YORK, December 26.—A London Daily Express despatch from Amsterdam to the New York Herald says: "My correspondent in Belgium states, on authority of first hand information, that the Germans have now three plans for their coming retreat from Flanders. They are now concentrating 200,000 Landsturm troops in fortified positions in and around Antwerp, in order that they may be able to make a firm stand there when the Allies hurl them back; a German lieutenant in Antwerp said: 'If we are repulsed in Flanders we shall retreat at once on Antwerp, not even attempting to defend Ghent, but our defence at Antwerp will be desperate, and it will take years to drive us out, as I expect we will have five army corps there.'"

HOSTILE AVIATORS MAY REACH LONDON

LONDON, December 26.—Every possible precaution is being taken in London now to prevent a successful aeroplane attack upon the city. The daring raids over Dover and Southend, during which German aviators succeeded in encircling a



MR. JESSE COLLINGS
a member of the British Parliament for 23 years, for 25 of which he represented the Evesham division of Birmingham.

THE WEATHER
Fine and mild, with some sun in some localities.

A GERMAN GEN. JOFFRE WOULD HAVE WON THE WAR

AMSTERDAM, December 27.—"If the German army had a General Joffre the Allies would have been beaten before the present time," is the statement attributed to a German officer in an interview printed in The Telegraph. He expressed it as his opinion that Aernum has no leaders or strategists of the calibre of General Von Moltke in the war of 1870, and speaks disdainfully of all the German generals except Von Hindenburg.

FRENCH SUBMARINE SUNK IN POLAND HARBOR

PARIS, December 26.—The Matin prints a despatch from Rome stating that a French submarine was sunk in Poland harbor in an attempt to torpedo battleships in the Austrian naval base. The members of the crew were all rescued and taken prisoners.

BRITISH TRAWLER "OCANA" SUNK BY MINE

GRIMSBY, Eng., Dec. 27.—The Ocana was sunk by a mine to-day. Eight men were drowned, only the second engineer being saved.

EMPEROR FRANZ JOSEPH ON VERGE OF COMPLETE PHYSICAL BREAK DOWN

LONDON, December 26.—The Court physician of Austria fears that Emperor Franz Josef is on the verge of a complete physical breakdown according to a despatch received here to-day from Vienna. Private information received in Vienna is that the aged Emperor is suffering from extreme depression brought on by the capture of Belgrade by the Serbians.

YOUNG TURKS ATTACKED ON THEIR WAR POLICY

ATHENS, December 26.—Pledges attaching the Young Turk party have been posted on the walls of the arsenal in Constantinople, despite the efforts of the police to suppress all evidence of opposition to Turkey's present course.

The pledges declare that the war policy will be disastrous to the empire and will imperil the head of the Sultan on his throne. The pledges, with their threat of revolution, were torn down by the police.

EXPECTED THAT RUSSIANS WILL SOON ANNIHILATE THE AUSTRIANS

Petrograd Reports That Defence of Brzemsyl is Austria's Last Gap—Impossible for Germans to Advance Even Should They Break Through the Russian Lines. Morale of the Austrians is Utterly Destroyed

Petrograd, Dec. 27.—From official bulletins it is evident that the Germans are still striving to break through the Russian front along the Bzura. It is not believed, however, that they do gain a foothold on the west bank of the river they will be able to hold the position, who have been largely reinforced at this point.

North of the Kistula the Russians are meeting renewed resistance from the German force which was driven back across the border into West Prussia.

The Austrians are concentrating large forces on the Russian flank in the Carpathian passes, between the up

per course of the Danube and Bialystok. Mention of Bialystok which has about ten miles north of Lisko, suggests that the Germans have advanced in their line from Pungary in that direction.

In its last days
It is believed that the defence of Przemyel by the Austrian garrison is now in its last gasp. The failure of the frequent and desperate sorties which the defenders have against the encircling line of Russians has destroyed the morale of the Austrians, who are now forced to choose between the alternative of surrender or complete annihilation.

GERMANS MASSACRE CIVILIANS

Roonstadt, Holland, Dec. 26.—Belgium, who formerly were afraid to talk of German atrocities, are gradually learning their lesson. At Ardennes, which was practically destroyed, according to Alfred Lant, a business man, the Germans killed 400 civilians, many of whom were business men.

"The chief of police told me," said Mr. Lant, "that sixty-five civilians were looked in a church and told that they would be shot within thirty minutes. Every five minutes a soldier entered to remind the persons that they had so many minutes longer to live."

"When the half hour had expired all were brought out, led before a file of soldiers, and lined up in a row. Some wished to cover up their eyes, but the soldiers forced their arms down with the bayonets. They were kept in this agony for another half hour before the order was given to fire."

"So fierce were the repeated volleys that the dead were hardly recognizable. Anyone who showed signs of life was dispatched, either with the butt-end of a rifle or a bayonet."

Town Thoroughly Looted
The town was thoroughly looted, the soldiers sparing not even the houses of the poor while the jewelry shops were stripped of their stock. Two hundred and eight houses were set on fire.

"I counted in a ditch 200 civilians who had been shot."

"In Huesen, civilians as the war has already been, perished by the hundreds. Perhaps 1000 were killed. The men were shot in the presence of their wives and children. They were then killed with bullets and then set on fire by machine gun fire."

"The commander accepted a large town in regard to the whole matter, according to these methods were necessary in order that the Belgians might be properly impressed, to prevent the horrors of war. He said the Belgians had killed enough Germans in 1914, and ought to be punished to prevent any sort of retaliation whatever."

FRANCIS JAMES CAVANAGH
The sympathy of the whole community is extended to Mr. Timothy Cavanagh, on the death of his son, Francis James Cavanagh who died at the family residence, 289 Queen street, on Saturday, December 26, 1914, at the age of 48 years, and was born in this city in the year 1872. For the past seven months he has suffered from Bright's disease.

The late Mr. Cavanagh was identified with the hotel business in Peterborough, and there were few merchants for whom he was not known or more popular in the business than in the community.

Mr. Cavanagh was a staunch supporter of the Conservative party all his life. He was unmarried and lived with his parents, both of whom survive, besides one brother, Ray, of Peterborough. The funeral was held from the family residence, Queen street, to St. Peter's Cemetery, yesterday afternoon.



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NO ALUM IN ROYAL BAKING POWDER

City News

FOR SALE

Vacuum Cleaner, entirely new, never having been used. Cost \$19. Will sell very cheap. Apply at The Times office.

A Cold Saturday

Yes, it was cold Saturday morning! The mercury here registered 20 below zero. At Channing village the mercury, almost down as low as 66 below, and at Keno it went down to 32.

A Lindsay Danger

Lindsay Warder, Chief Constable, Short wishes to warn the skaters who are in the habit of skating in the vicinity of Horns' Mill, to beware of the danger. The east wall, which at present stands, is liable to fall at any time, and in doing so would collapse on the ice. This morning the concrete props supporting the 90 foot wall were taken away, with a view to weakening the wall and having it tumble down of its own accord.

Alm. Green Camed

The members of the local fire brigade met one over Alm. Green, the West ward fireman, Mr. Green went innocently to the fire hall, and was called to the Chief's office, when the men presented him with a silver-headed walking stick, accompanied by an address. Alm. Green has been a prominent personal friend of the men at the hall, and has shown his friendship in a number of practical ways.

Municipal Contest at Lindsay

Lindsay Warder: Although there is very little talk concerning the approaching municipal elections, The Warder has been assured that there will be a contest for the Mayoralty, and also for the various other offices. His Worship Mayor Bell will be opposed in all probability by Mr. Jos. Staples, although Mr. Staples would prefer to come out for Alderman. He claims, however, that Mayor Bell has had his share of municipal honors and should relinquish the reins this year.

When Greek Meets Greek

At yesterday's police court the proprietor of a George street (Greek) candy store, was charged by another Greek with withholding a week's wages. It seems that the complainant was brought here from Montreal to work for the George street man. The latter, however, did not have his place ready for business. Complainant claims to have lost a full week in consequence. The defendant was ordered to pay the week's wages.

Social and Personal

Members of The Times are requested to show up at the office on Monday, Dec. 28, to receive their copies of the paper.

Mr. J. J. O'Hearne, of Fort William, is holidaying in the City.

Miss M. McGrath left yesterday on a short visit to Toronto.

Mr. R. Thompson, of Monmouth, N. Y., is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. Fred Moran, of Prescott, is home for the holidays.

Twelve News: Mr. Richard Logan, of Peterborough, is home for Christmas.

Mr. Thomas Mulligan, of Galt, spent Xmas visiting friends in the City.

Mr. Wm. Pratt, traveller for the Quaker Oats Co., spent Christmas at home in this City.

Mrs. Harry Quinlan, of Port Arthur, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Theobald, Albert street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Dobson and child of Detroit are visiting friends in the city.

Miss Vera Burgess, who is attending Peterborough Normal School, spent the Xmas vacation at her home in Lakeside.

Among those removing old acquaintances in this city is Mr. Art Hall.

the former Peterborough hockey player who is residing in Rochester, N.Y.

Mr. T. Carson of Bay City, Mich., and sister, Miss Annie Carson, of Detroit, are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Carson, Ross street.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Saturday's market was poorly attended by both buyers and purchasers. Foreign despatches say the Kaiser has lost a leg at the front. Its more likely to be his goat he'll lose.

Last night Rev. H. G. Peever, B.D. took for his subject "World Peace and its only Foundation."

The pupils of Lindsay Central School presented Mr. James Hall, the caretaker, with a handsome neck scarf and pin for Xmas.

Work is in progress on the hall of the Oriental's first floor, replacing the present flooring with handsome hardwood material.

Mr. R. J. Munro, proprietor of the Munro House, donated fifty meal tickets to Adjutant McIlhenny for distribution on Xmas Day.

The "devil" of this city got hold of a new one on Christmas Day. He says "Why does the Kaiser count his chickens before they are hatched?" We gave up, and were told that "he wants to hear von kluck." Whew!

Yesterday Stanley Windsor pleaded guilty, although not present, to driving his horse too hard. He was fined \$2.

At yesterday's police court a local hotelman withdrew a charge he had laid against a young man for alleged assault.

The immense shipment of turkeys, made by Messrs. Finvelde Ltd., of Lindsay, have arrived in London, England, and were received at Smithfield market very kindly.

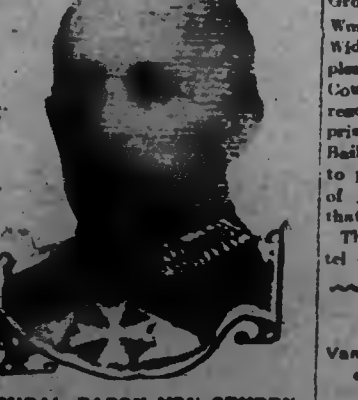
The cost of light has been reduced 10 per cent. in Ontario. About the only change we see in Peterboro' is when another mill is added on our taxes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burgess, of the Beacon House, Lindsay, have been presented with a handsome leg-jar-jar-jar by the employees of that well known hotel.

A regular meeting of the Lindsay Lodge A. F. & A. M., Lakeside, will be held in the lodge room on Tuesday evening, December 29th. The newly-elected officers for the coming year will be installed by V. W. Bro. Dr. J. P. Fraser.

Mayor Buller sent a telegram to the Peterborough boys with the first contingent in England, and also to the local men at Kingston, with the compliments of the season.

There was an overplus of railroads at Saturday's police court. Many scores of these gentlemen, whose morbid curiosity takes them to the Court to gloat over the troubles of those caught, could not get in. The room was crowded.



ADMIRAL BARON VON GENDEN-BISRAU

The Kaiser's Naval Adjutant-General who is reported to have command of the raid on the north coast of England.

Beauties of VANCOUVER ISLAND



Shoal Bay



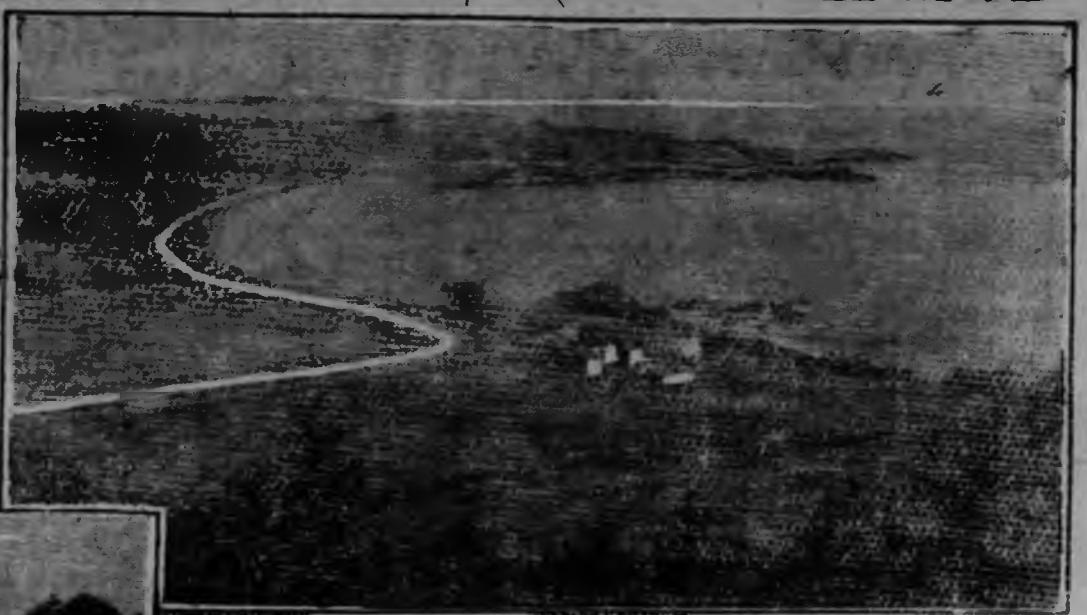
Pasture Scene



Bungalow at Qualicum Beach



Empress Hotel



Road to Sooke



Foul Bay

It is always interesting to set foot on foreign soil, to observe customs that are unfamiliar, and to find that you are really and truly in a great city that is different. Visitors from the United States and Great Britain, and even Canadians feel this way about Victoria and Vancouver Island. After all it is a bit of England on the Pacific, and it is wonderfully English despite the foreign element given it by the presence of numerous Chinamen. Its climate is delightfully English, and winters are almost unknown. Hundreds and thousands of people make the island their home on account of the extremely mild climate throughout the whole of the year. While Victoria has been known for a hundred years the city is built on very modern lines. It is one of the principal calling places on the Pacific coast on the route to China and Japan, Australia and Siberia. A remarkable service of coast steamers operated by the Canadian Pacific make Victoria the central calling station on the popular triangular route from Vancouver to Seattle, and it is noted for its beautiful inlets and magnificent bays with which the island abounds. It is an ideal place for the motorist, and the splendid roads attract tourists from all parts of the Pacific slope. It is estimated that Victoria people own one automobile to every fifty of the population. There are island highways, and connects Victoria with the northern portion of the island, and is probably one of the most famous drives in the world. It is maintained at a considerable expense by the Provincial Government. In almost every nook of the island will be found wonderful and varied opportunities for fishing and shooting, and sports of every description. Victoria also contains one of the best hostels which is the most westerly of the great chain of hotels owned and operated by the Canadian Pacific.

EDGAR GROSE IS CHARGED WITH CRIME OF MURDER

At Saturday's police court Edgar Grose was charged with the murder of Wm. O'Brien. Messrs. (London and Wyndham) represented the prisoner and pleaded not guilty. As Mr. Hutton, County Crown Attorney, was not ready to proceed with the case the prisoner was remanded for a week. Bail was refused. Without intending to put a stumbling block in the wheels of justice, it is generally understood that the prisoner will be discharged. The trouble started in a local hotel on Xmas eve, which resulted in

the death of William O'Brien, 446 Park street, and Edgar Grose is locked up on the charge of murder. An inquest was held on the body of O'Brien at 10 o'clock Christmas morning by Coroner Grose. The jury simply viewed the body and adjourned till eight o'clock Monday night. No marks of violence were discovered on the body sufficient to cause death.

Grose is the son of the late John Grose, 144 Ridgeway street, and has been employed with Jones' livery for some time.

THE AMERICAN MERCHANTMAN

Van Bethmann-Holweg Usually Credited With Cincerity, Abandons It

Germany has had five Chancellors, Bismarck, the incomparable, was a statesman; Capril and Hohenlohe, respectively, soldier and courtier; Bülow was a diplomat; Bethmann-Holweg, since 1909 the steersman of the Empire's destiny, is a philosopher. A few years hardly afford an adequate basis for historical judgment of a leader's capacity, but Dr. Theobald

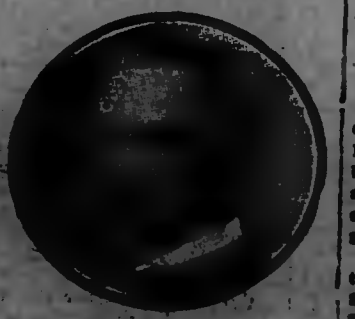
It would be far beside the mark to charge the Sage of Hohenzollern with utter lack of statesmanlike qualities. Modest and retiring by nature, there is nothing of the flamboyant in his make-up.

He is generally credited with being sincere and honest, but this reputation suffered severely by his attitude at the beginning of hostilities with Belgium. It having been reported that he was both surprised and chagrined at Britain's regard for a "scrap of paper"—the solemn pledge that Belgium territory should not be violated, a pledge guaranteed by both Great Britain and Germany.

Castle Oubliance

The restoration work at Cardiff Castle, which was begun by the late Marquis of Bute, is being continued by the present Marquis, and has resulted in the discovery, in the foundations of the Black Tower, of an underground dungeon.

Other recent work under the direction of the castle architect, Mr. H. Swanton-Wright, has included the lifting of portions of the south-western bastion of the Roman wall and the tracing of the line of the medieval town wall from the Castle to the old North, or Brougham, Gate.



VAN BETHMANN-HOLWEG

Van Bethmann-Holweg's Chancellery has been successfully barren of pupils.

GLOBE TROTTERS TABOODED

Germany Doesn't Want People Walking on Wzgers

A pleasant and easy way of seeing the world and living without working, that of pretending to be on a walking trip around the world for a mythical wage with some equally mythical class or personages, has exhausted its possibilities in Prussia. The authorities have come to the conclusion that this type of traveler has become so numerous as to constitute a public nuisance, and the Minister of the Interior has instructed the police to prevent them from selling postcards with their photographs, announcing lectures, or otherwise molesting the public, and to discontinue the practice of certifying upon their passports or log-books that they have passed through this or that town upon their wanderings. If a warning does not suffice to make them move on they are to be arrested and punished for vagrancy.

Mica in Alberta

A recent report from Edmonton stated that 20 tons of commercial mica was taken out of claims on Mica Mountain, near Tete Jaune. The mica is of excellent quality. Samples from the vein under development took first prize at Paris, 1906; Glasgow, 1907; and St. Louis, 1904.

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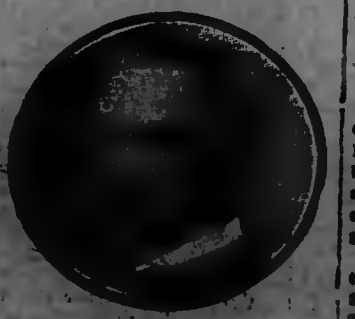
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Selfishness Real Cause of Divorce

By WINIFRED BLACK

Ald. Green Cased
 One of the local fire brigades
 for Ald. Green, the West
 by owner. Mr. Green went
 to the fire hall, and was
 the Chief's office, when he
 led him with a silver-head-
 stick, accompanied by an
 Ald. Green has been a pro-
 fessional friend of the men at
 and has shown his friendship
 of several men.

ESCAPADE OF SOLDIERS

They Drifted Out to Sea in a Small Boat

Two soldiers of the King's Own Scottish Borderers, stationed in Dublin, had a remarkable escapade in an open boat in Dublin Bay, where they were picked up by the Port and Docks pilot, which rescued them from a perilous position. It appears that one night the soldiers looted a ferry boat from its moorings at Britain Quay and got into it for a row across the Liffey. The oars were locked up, a precaution usually adopted by the ferryman when leaving his boat, and as soon as the craft was loosened from its moorings it began to drift with the current. Much to the soldiers' amazement, they soon found themselves going out to sea, the boat moving fast and being quite beyond their control. The night was dark, and they were powerless to procure help, though they continued calling. As daylight approached they fell asleep in the boat, which meanwhile kept drifting. At an early hour the following morning the Dublin pilot boat, which had put out for duty on vessels, sighted the drifting boat and bore down upon it. The soldiers were asleep, and it was thought at first that they were lifeless; but the pilots roused them, and taking them into the pilot boat, had them brought back to Dublin, with the open boat in tow. They were not much the worse for their escapade.

TO COMBAT CANCER

In the search for data bearing on the increase or otherwise of cancer it was declared at the annual meeting of the Imperial Research Fund, held in London, that three instances which had been adduced of the existence of cancer houses had been investigated on the spot, and in all three the complete data sufficed to show that local cases had not increased an increased cancer mortality. Sir Frederic Fre said that of individuals over thirty-five years of age in every 84 died from cancer. The Duke of Bedford said in the report for the year probably the most interesting feature was the scientific expert inquiry whether or not there is any risk of infection or contagion through the occupation of houses or rooms where cases of cancer had occurred. The result was an emphatic negative to the existence of any such risk. The fear was said to be entirely groundless.



MRS. J. B. EUSTIS

Mrs. James B. Eustis, wife of the former United States ambassador to France, a popular London entertainer.

Baby Survivor of Lucknow

The death is announced at Edinburgh in her eighty-fifth year of Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson, who was one of the few remaining baby survivors of the siege of Lucknow. At the time of the siege, Anderson's husband, Dr. Thomas Anderson, was a medical officer in India, and was stationed at Lucknow. Mrs. Anderson was on a visit to Lucknow when the siege broke out, and she remained in the city for several months. She was the only woman to survive the siege, and she was the only woman to be born in Lucknow. She was the only woman to be born in Lucknow. She was the only woman to be born in Lucknow.

Buttermilk or Porter?

The question of the diet of a soldier of the day has been the subject of an amusing discussion at the meeting of the Swindon Board of Health. Mr. Campbell, who is the medical officer, said that the diet of a soldier of the day should be such as to give him the best of health. He said that the diet of a soldier of the day should be such as to give him the best of health. He said that the diet of a soldier of the day should be such as to give him the best of health.

FIREMAN'S BRAVE DEED

How Three Women Were Saved From Death

"The bravest action in my experience," is the description applied by the Chief Officer of the London Fire Brigade to a rescue made by Fireman Rouben Studd at a flat fire in Knightsbridge. Fireman Studd was awarded the Council's silver medal for extraordinary bravery—the fireman's V.C.—in commemoration of his conduct. The officer in charge at the fire was informed that three women were on a ledge on the seventh floor. Studd was instructed to take a hook ladder and render what assistance he could to the women. The ledge on which the women were was at a height of nearly 30 feet, and in the darkness the nature of the task could not be fully realized. Studd scaled the building to the fifth floor, but at this point he found that owing to a projecting cornice he was unable to scale any higher with the ladder. He therefore poised the ladder on the cornice, lowered a window, and, standing on the top of the window-frame, raised himself to the cornice, which was only eleven inches wide. Studd had great difficulty in persuading the women to use the ladder, which swung out at a dangerous angle, and he had to ascend and descend it several times before they would start on their journey. The women having descended to the sixth floor, Studd refixed the ladder, but, owing to the intervening cornice, the lower part of the ladder stood out about two feet from the building. Studd having succeeded with difficulty in swinging himself into a window on the fifth floor, he was able by extraordinary efforts to pull the women off the ladder through the window, and from this point they were able to descend by the staircase to the street.

WELL DRESSED THIEVES

They Make a Practice of Stealing Rented Opera Glasses

At a ball given at the Albert Hall, London, in aid of a charity, opera glasses were placed on hire for the use of those people who might wish to use them. "After the ball was over" it was discovered that thirty pairs of these glasses were missing; but not, as might perhaps be expected, from the cheap seats. As the glasses were loaned to help the charity, and as the thirty pairs that were taken had been paid for out of the money raised, this seemed to be a particularly mean form of theft.

As a matter of fact, about four pairs of opera glasses out of seven hundred are stolen from the London theatres every week. These glasses are not placed in the pit or the gallery, but only in the more expensive seats. The Electrophone Company, which supplies the glasses that are for hire in about twenty-five London theatres, say that they have lost something like twenty thousand pairs in the last ten years.

Hidden Bags of Gold

An extraordinary find of hidden treasure was made at Balbriggan, North, County Dublin. A man was taken from the town to the Richmond Lunatic Asylum some time ago, and since his confinement in the asylum has repeatedly asserted that he had hidden \$1,200 in gold on the shore at Balbriggan. The man was taken in a cab to Balbriggan, where he pointed to a recess in the rocks, and there lying on the sand was two old bags, which were found to contain \$915 in gold.

Birthrate in France

The statistics of French families just published by the Ministry of Labor show a total of 11,200,000. Of these 1,200,000 have no children, while 1,000,000 have only one child, 1,000,000 two children and 1,000,000 three children. A total of 10,000,000 have seven children, 50,000 eight children, 45,000 nine children, 20,000 ten children, 1,500 thirteen children, 75 sixteen children, 34 seventeen children, and 48 eighteen or more.

Elopement With Wife's Sister

Thomas Henry Watts, aged thirty-eight, was sent to prison for a month by the Cardiff magistrates for neglecting to maintain his wife and child. He went away to London with his wife's sister, leaving his wife and three children destitute.

Training Colliery Officials

The South Wales School of Mines at Trefoerct formally opened by Lord Merthyr has been established for the purpose of training all grades of colliery officials. The expense of the scheme is being borne by the coal owners.

New Recorder of Manchester

Mr. A. J. Ashton, K.C., was appointed Recorder of Manchester in succession to Sir Joseph Leese, who resigned. The salary is \$2,500.

London's Private Wells

The Metropolitan Water Board not long ago issued a report stating that it loses \$100,000 a year on account of the number of private wells in existence in London. Many of the largest hotels, public houses and clubs, including the House of Commons, have their own wells, a fact which would be of considerable importance in case the water supply of the metropolis should be interrupted by the enemy.

WHY A HORSE BALKS

Overriding the Primary Cause and the Animal so Treated Remembers

The explanation of a balking horse lies in the horse having a delusion that he is hitched to an immovable body or is tied. Have you ever seen a man whip a horse tied in a stall? If you did, you noticed that the horse did not try to get away. It would jump around, snort, paw, kick, possibly, but it would not try to get away. Why, you ask, does it not try to get away? For the very good reason it has good horse sense and will not try a thing that it knows it cannot do. Sometime in the past it tried to break its halter, found it impossible, and, like a good, sensible horse that it knows itself to be, will not try again. So it is with your balking horse. Sometime in the past someone overrode the poor horse, got it stuck, then beat it for a while, and, as a last resort, unhitched and left the load; then taking the bridle, half dead with fright, he called balking horse to the barn, unhooked the whole wagon, pried it out and if it were in the mud, pulled it up on solid footing, hitched the balking horse up again, and, after a lot of swinging around, finally got off.

But, you say, that should not make the horse permanently balky. Well, sometimes it does not, but one or two more overloads, one or two more beatings, and it is all over with your horse's working days. If your horse could reason from cause to effect, the same as you, then we would never have such a thing as a balking horse. But it can't. It knows only one time it was rigged up with a lot of straps around its neck (collar), a lot more covering its body (harness), and tied to a solid place (wagon). Its master at that time beat it and yanked it around until it was almost dead, and it could not get away, so, with the same straps upon its body, the next fast, neck rope up, every environment the same as when it tried to go upon a previous occasion and could not, why should it try again. Sometimes, by leading it, you can get it to go, but if it comes up against the collar and then flies back, it thinks itself tied and will try no more.—Edward Vaughan, in Farm and Fireside.

Easy to Move Stove

Legs have been invented for stoves which contain casters, so mounted that pressure on levers projects them and enables the stoves to be moved easily.

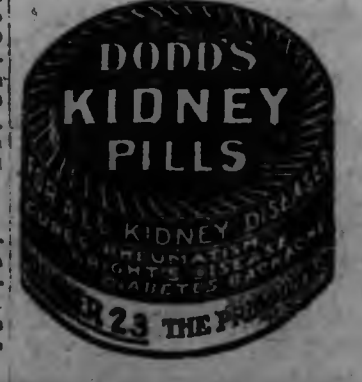
Protecting Wage Earners

It is estimated that 50 per cent. of industrial accidents can be eliminated 60 per cent. by the proper training of workers.

CONVICT SNOBS

Where There is an Attempt to Reform by Special Privileges

Separate tables at meals may be provided for the convicts at the prison "hotel" at Camp Hill, Isle of Wight, where an attempt is made to reform convicts by special privileges. Meal times at Camp Hill are social functions which the warders are not permitted to disturb. These old habitual criminals who have been granted many comforts by the authorities have their after-dinner chats which are often of a strictly confidential nature. A distinct "caste" feeling has sprung up. The more notorious men have formed a clique. They decline to discuss subjects with men of less repute. Apart from this purely professional jealousy, there are sharp cleavages of opinion, religious, moral, and political, which have been so marked that further controversy on gentlemanly lines is out of the question. The result is that things have not been so happy as formerly at the long tables in the dining room. Several men have the habit of leaning across the table confidentially and ignoring their neighbors altogether. These slights have not been unheeded, and thus the demand has arisen for the abolition of the old boarding house manner and the provision of smaller tables. At present the authorities have declined to make any change.



GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR FARES

SINGLE, Dec. 24-25, good for return FARE until Dec. 26; also Dec. 21, 1914, and Jan. 1, 1915, valid for return until Jan. 2, 1915.

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Above reduced fares apply between all stations in Canada east of Port Arthur and to Detroit and Port Huron, Mich., Buffalo, Black Rock, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, N. Y. Tickets now on sale at G.T.R. Ticket Office.

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Boots For the Soldiers

It is difficult to realize what a perfect war machine the German army was and is, said an Englishman who fought with the Germans in 1870 and who now lives at Dover. Although the French troops, fighting in their own country, were starved and bootless, the Germans never missed their meals. Except when the battles were actually in progress, the troops received their meals as regularly as if they were staying in a hotel. Even their clean shirts and socks arrived with automatic regularity.

Carnegie Plans Germany

Andrew Carnegie, refusing to join in protest against England's participation in the war, said the blame for the conflict on the Kaiser. "I feel that Great Britain only did her duty. I believe the Kaiser did not know what he was doing but this is matter of past. The looms of the gods weave no erasures."

Bayonet Not Obsolete

It is a great mistake to imagine that the bayonet is obsolete, or that the days of hand-to-hand fighting are over. When an advance begins, it must go on. To stop is bad, to retreat fatal. The bayonet is right to push the charge right home when the desired spot is reached. Whatever may have happened to the sword and the lance, the bayonet is as important today as it ever was. The more sight of it in the hands of a British soldier is often enough to frighten an enemy.

Swiss in Canada

There are about four hundred men of the Swiss militia in Canada and almost 1,500 in the United States.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

BRITISH-CANADIAN

Do you desire to make large profits on your investment in Alberta Oil Shares?

If you do you must use good judgment in the selection of the companies in which you invest.

In order that you may use this good judgment it is absolutely necessary that you investigate and analyze a company thoroughly before placing your money in its shares.

In order that you may do this in the case of the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., we hereby give you the information we have secured through our rigid investigation and analysis of said company, and in giving this information we would say that we believe it is correct in every detail.

(1) The British Canadian Oil, Ltd., is incorporated for \$1,000,000; 10,000,000 shares at the par value of 10c.

(2) About 500,000 shares of the stock have already been sold, and are now in the hands of the investing public.

(3) The Directors' and Officers' stock is all pooled.

(4) The Company is the holder of petroleum and natural gas leases on over 7,000 acres of land in the Province of Alberta.

(5) The Directors, Officers and Solicitors of the Company are all reliable and conscientious business men who have the welfare of the company at heart, and who desire in every manner in their power to give the public a square run for their money.

(6) The Company is now working on Section 31, Township 24, Range 4, an up-to-date combination rotary and standard rig.

(7) The Company expects to commence drilling inside of 3 days, and continue with all possible despatch.

(8) The Company has secured as Field Superintendent a man who knows his business thoroughly.

(9) The said Superintendent has engaged competent drillers to carry out his instructions.

(10) The treasury of the Company is now well financed.

(11) A reputable local geologist in reporting on adjoining property makes the following statement in said report:

"There is a plunging tendency in the crest of the anticline which causes its crest to sink toward the Elbow river. The crest of this dome-shaped structure seems to be in the neighborhood of Section 31, of Township 24, and Section 6 of Township 25."

(12) A reputable petroleum engineer in reply to an enquiry from us, stated that the lease held by the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., in Section 31, is situated on the most perfect anticline he has seen in Western Alberta.

(13) British Canadian shares are listed on the three Calgary exchanges, and are very active traders.

(14) The price of British Canadian shares is very low at the present time; we expect to see it go much higher.

In view of the above information secured by us, we have no hesitation whatever in advising you to at once buy the shares of the British Canadian Oil, Limited, at 15c per share, believing that you will get a square run for your money, and big profits on your investment.

We are prepared to fill your orders for British Canadian shares at 15c each, but this price is subject to raise without notice. Any new strike in the oil field, or any other exciting report, might send this stock to a very high price. We would suggest that you wire us at our expense and let your remittance follow, or if you prefer, write us and enclose your remittance.

Our market letter giving information on the Alberta Oil Fields is free for the asking. Write for it.

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We Expect British-Canadian Shares to go to 50c Soon

Local Representative Wanted

An Appeal to the Intelligent Investor!

Does a logical presentation of a good investment interest you? Do you believe there is an oil in commercial quantities in Alberta? If you are alive to the situation you do. Then it will pay you to investigate our proposition and our holdings.

Please Read Carefully and Note!

THAT Oil authorities are agreed—the Alberta Oil Field is of an artificial formation. It has been fairly accurately ascertained in what general direction these artificialities run. Geologist D. W. Dunn chose wisely in the selection of the new famous Monarch well. WINDSOR OILFIELDS, LIMITED, has holdings located close to the Monarch.

THAT Cunningham Craig, one of the world's most eminent geologists, selected the site of the Monarch-Barkley well. Stock in that company is not offered at any price. We possess acreage adjoining the Monarch-Barkley (Section 12, Township 22, Range 5, West of 5th). If a strike is made at the Monarch-Barkley what will shares in our company be worth?

Our holdings consist of 1200 acres, carefully selected and judiciously spread over the entire oil field.

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Having received and read the Prospectus I hereby apply for _____ Shares of the Capital Stock of WINDSOR OILFIELDS, LIMITED, at \$1.00 per share, non-assessable, par value of \$1.00, each, amounting to _____ dollars, which is paid hereby.

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A REAL ESTATE YARN

Re-Mayer Wagon of Winnipeg told a real estate yarn in a way that was amusing to the very heart. A real estate agent, calling on a city lady in the mid-West, entered a town when it appeared to be deserted. Discovering that the town was virtually empty, he respectfully asked the lady to accompany him to one of his clients, a citizen, the agent, seeing chance of doing business, joined himself to the company of mourners in the cemetery chapel. He entered as the ladyman was asking anyone who would like to buy a word in testimony of the deceased, let him now come forward. No one appearing, the ladyman, despite a repetition of the request, the real estate agent rose and respectfully said: "Mr. Minister, who one seems to have a word for the deceased, and as I don't know who they be, well, perhaps you will permit me to tell you a thing about some California lots that I have to sell."



W. A. MacDoo
New York, a great tunnel builder

BUSINESS IN 2,000 B.C.

The Babylonians and Their Neighbors

Know of "Short Cuts"

The deciphering of the old "Babylonian" records of clay have revealed some very interesting facts with regard to business life two thousand years before Christ. In many cases these records relate to trade transactions, to business disputes, incident to the ordinary, everyday business of the merchants, and to their transactions to the title to property. There are even data to show how the "Babylonians" and their neighbors conducted their accounting systems. Nearly four thousand years ago these people had so far progressed in "business" that it was actually found necessary to employ special laws to deal with those who were trying the "short cut" to wealth. The young man with "prospects" like his prototypes of today, was wont to utilize those prospects in negotiation with the professional money-lender. The banker of Babylon deposited regularly and issued his brick "checks" and bills of exchange, and the law intervened, it is down today, to uphold the rights of property. Most careful accounts of revenue and expenditure were kept. These show in many cases that investments in loans and purchase of land, as well as other profitable dealings, were a regular part of the fiscal activities.

BUILDING MATERIALS

Valuable Resources Being Gradually Opened up in Western Canada

With the exception of British Columbia, the very little building stone produced in Western Canada. This is due to two causes. First the rocks which underlie the developed portions of the Prairie Provinces are of comparatively recent age and are consequently soft in character and weather rapidly; second, there are very few rock exposures in the settled portions of these provinces, except in the Rocky Mountains and the foot hills. In British Columbia there are large potential resources of building stone. They have, however, been developed only in certain localities on the Pacific Coast, and have been confined to Cretaceous sandstone and certain volcanic rocks, situated on Vancouver Island and adjacent islands. Varieties of marble are also quarried on Texada Island.

MANGELS FOR POULTRY

A Cheap Feed to Grow Where There is Room

In the production of mangels as a poultry feed, very small areas, or comparatively large ones, show a decided profit when given over to the culture of these roots. They have proved to be one of the best and one of the most popular of the roots used as poultry food, because of their ease of growth and of their very heavy yielding qualities. They grow to immense size, and will produce a good many tons of roots per acre on good soil, and are easily stored with little expense, and are highly relished as a part of the daily ration throughout the winter months.

Crooked Billot

The Crooked Billot—an idea which still stands upon Tower Hill, as it has stood for generations past—stands in the old tower of the White Horse Inn in London. There is every reason to believe that the inn dates from the time of Henry VIII. Certainly no London inn is more remarkable in the matter of olden panels and gilded doors, secret rooms, and underground passages—one of these passages leads to the tower—and thick walls richly carved. The Crooked Billot is that of Oliver Cromwell when he lodged at the Crooked Billot.

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WHOLESALE TRAFFIC IN NOBLE TITLES

Little Tricks Revealed to Swindlers
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The artistry of the plausible swindler who haunts the best Continental hotels and professes to be a titles for sale, accompanied with full documentary evidence as to their genuineness, is not the least remarkable characteristic of those who carry on this bogus business.

Take the case, for instance, of the three Germans who were arrested in Paris, charged with carrying on an open traffic in bogus orders and decorations. Taking rooms at one of the best hotels, they ingratiated themselves with various other residents to whom they displayed high full of decorations, such as the beautiful insignia of the Order of the Golden Fleece, the Garter, the Legion of Honor, and the Order of Isabella the Catholic. They even had a catalogue of prices which ranged from \$50 to \$1,000, the latter being the price of a Legion of Honor.

The three swindlers claimed to be chamberlains of European Royal households, and thus able to influence the granting of decorations through their connections with Embassies and Imperial persons, and they were doing well a thriving trade until they were discovered by the police by a housekeeper, who discovered that the titles and decorations they had for sale were quite bogus.

A Berlin Dispatch
The case recalls the Berlin scandal of some years ago, when an impoverished member of the monarchy hit upon the idea of replenishing his pocket by posing as an influential member of the Diplomatic Service, who was in a position to obtain any decoration or order required.

The swindler quickly swallowed the bait, and it was only when the bogus titles and order monger, who it was proved, had had scores of decorations specially made for him had molested his victims of some thousands of dollars that he was proved to be a fraud.

These swindlers are really made possible by the fact that foreign countries, although they do not openly advertise their readiness to do business with those who aspire to affix a handle to their names, carry on, in a quiet manner, a considerable trade in titles. Some time ago, for instance, a great sensation was caused in the Hungarian Diet by the vigorous indictment of Franz Kossuth, the son of the famous patriot, who exposed the fact that the Government had raised no less than \$1,500,000 for its political campaign fund by selling titles and orders, several wealthy Jews having been made barons with decorations bestowed upon them in return for cash payments of \$50,000 each.

Widespread Traffic
This method of raising money, of course, is not unknown to political parties in this country, but we have not yet gone so far as Italy, who will make you a prince or a duke for \$5,000 and a marquess for \$1,500, while the title of count will cost you \$2,500 and that of baron \$1,500.

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ECENTRIC RUSSIANS WILL

A Year and a Day of Close Confinement Necessary to Get Legacy

A few years ago an eccentric Russian, Countess Andrievskaya, died and left a bequest of \$1,000 a year for life to any person who chose himself up for a year and a day. The first man to attempt this torture has become a raving lunatic. The one who undertakes it is ordered to lodge in a stone cell built over the Countess Andrievskaya's vault, and he must never leave the vault day or night for a year and a day. He may not communicate with any person in the outside world save the person who brings him food, and he must have a light. A dismal prospect even at the thought of a yearly income of \$1,000.

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POLO PONIES SCARCE

Supply in England Not Equal to the Demand

Polo authorities in England are lamenting the shortness of first-class polo ponies, animals of quality and stamina, and urge the establishment of breeding establishments, especially in the north. They assert that polo ponies should prove a most profitable branch of horse breeding. In a speech Mr. Fildes says:

The shortage of first-class polo ponies of quality and stamina, suitably broken or more perfectly prepared by scientific schooling, is a lamentable and there appears to be a great shortage in the horse-breeding districts of the north, for which the demand is very large, and the supply is very small. It has been proved by experience that the polo pony may be produced by selection, and is not a chance-bred animal. Polo ponies should be the most profitable branch of horse breeding, because they are naturally hardy, requiring a less care, and come truer to type than any other breed of the equine race. They gain their life registration certificate at four years of age and are a splendid commodity at that age.

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FAMOUS PHRASES AND THEIR ORIGIN

Some Everyday Expressions Have Come Down to us From the Time of the Caesars

The average person probably does not know the origin of half the common phrases used in ordinary conversation.

No less a person than Cicero first made use of the expression, "While there's life, there's hope," in a letter he wrote to Atticus. "We are in the same boat" is not modern slang, but occurs in a letter written by Clement I, Bishop of Rome, to the Church of Corinth in the first century. This letter is still in existence.

"I never put off till to-morrow what I can do to-day," was Lord Chesterfield's explanation of how he managed to do so much work. "Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well," he wrote later in the famous "Letters to His Son."

Lord Eldon, Lord Chancellor of England during the first twenty-six years of the nineteenth century, continually mispronounced the name of Henry Brougham, afterwards to be a famous opponent of the Chancery system, and once, after Brougham had made a speech, Eldon, by way of apology, pronounced his name correctly and said to the speaker, "Now become a lawyer."

"No man is a hero to his valet" has been paraphrased by authors from the time of the Caesars. The phrase "circumstances are which he has no control" was used by the Duke of Wellington in a letter concerning some affairs in which he was mixed up, and with which he was destined to interfere.

"Complacency by their absence" has been used by many authors. The phrase "I never put off till to-morrow what I can do to-day" was used by Lord Chesterfield in a letter to his son, and "Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well" was used by Lord Eldon in a letter to his son.

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Writ For \$700.

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Smithtown Nominations

Smith Township nominations held yesterday afternoon in the county court room resulted as follows:

For Reeve—J. H. Garbutt and Fredrick Melles.

For Deputy Reeve—Fred Cass and J.A. Joba.

The three councillors were returned by acclamation. Their names are Robert Northey, C.E. Moore and G. Nichols.

Kilmount Lady Hibernians

Lindsay Warder. Considerable mirthfulness was indulged in at the G. T. R. station on Christmas eve, while the crowd was awaiting the arrival of the train from the west. To the music of a mouthorgan a jolly traveler played to Turkey in the Strand. A lady, who it was said lived in the confines of Kilmount, was somewhat befuddled from endeavoring to keep warm and made herself overly conspicuous. It appears she got the habit and it stayed with her.

North Monaghan

There was much lively interest displayed in the North Monaghan municipal elections at the town hall between one and two o'clock yesterday. The present reeve, W.G. Howden will have to contest his seat for another term against John McIntosh, both being nominated. There are four candidates in the race for deputy reeve, namely Thomas E. Young, Fred Stenson, Robert E. Dobbin and J.H. Forsythe. For councillors the following are lined up—Wm. Robson, Arthur Vane, John F. Clarke, H.B. Rye, James N. Bell and William Stevens.

THE MAYORALTY WM. H. BULLER

THE PEOPLES CANDIDATE

RESPECTIVELY SOLICITS YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE FOR

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AS MAYOR

For The Year 1915

A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL.

THE MAYORALTY

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH:

Ladies and Gentlemen—I desire to respectfully solicit your votes and your influence that I may be elected Mayor of the City of Peterborough for the year 1915. I was born in this City and have lived here all my life, and I have always felt, a deep interest in the City.

I have served you in the City Council for eight years, having been elected several times by the whole City under the general vote system and also since then have represented the South Ward. I have been Chairman of the Board of Works two years and Chairman of the Property Committee four years, and served as a member on all the other Committees, and the experience I have had and the knowledge of the affairs and needs of the City I have obtained during these years will be of advantage in the position of Mayor if you elect me to that office.

I offer myself as a candidate at this time because I have been requested to do so by a large number of electors. One year ago a number of my friends urged me then to be a candidate, but I stood aside upon the statement to me by the present Mayor that he wished the office for one year only, and would not run for a second term, and that my two-year term as Alderman would then have expired, and it would be a more convenient time for me to be a candidate for the office, consequently, I am not violating any custom in being a candidate this year.

My course in the Council is known to you, and, while I do not claim not to have made a mistake in the eight years, I feel that I can ask you to support me upon my record as an Alderman. During the coming year I believe the Council should have two principal aims, namely, to conduct the business of the City with the strictest economy, so as to make the tax rate as low as possible, and to effect the removal of unsanitary works in such a manner as to give as large an amount of employment as possible for the money expended and to improve the town generally. If you elect me I will keep these aims in view, and the burden of taxation may be as low as possible and the town may be given to those who need it upon works for the benefit of the City so far as the revenue will permit.

Again soliciting your votes, and wishing you all the compliments of the season.

I am, yours respectfully,

WM. H. DUNCAN

KOLAND DENNE

THE CRESSMAN

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23RD, 1914

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

Large Size English Flannelette Blankets \$1.29

Two hundred pairs of best quality English Flannelette Blankets; heavy twilled finish, in all white and white with blue or pink borders. Each pair finished in singles; generous size, measuring 60 x 80. A wonderful Annex opportunity, for we consider this line exceptionally good buying at \$1.65. As a Special New Year's Annex Leader, per pair \$1.29.

"FOUR BOLLS" COTTON BATTING 10c

Here's an excellent value Annex line at a most opportune time—just when many are doing their winter quilting. Full 16-ounce rolls of "Fluffy" Cotton Batching. Two halves only. New Year's Annex, per roll 16c.

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

22c and 25c Kimona Cloths 14c

Regular stock lines of English Kimona Cloths, colorings of reds, greens, dark purple and blue; very attractive floral and stripe patterns. Every piece priced regular at 22c and 25c. Being odd lines we have marked them at a rush price in order to clear quickly. Annex Leader, per yard, 14c.

BOYS' 5c UNDERWEAR, 2 FOR 5c

Close knit, elastic ribbed garments in the light grey color. Shirts sizes to 24. Drawers sizes to 32. Regular 25c value. To clear at the New Year's 25c. Annex price, 2 for 5c.

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

Women's 89c White Flannel Gowns 55c

Another important purchase of Women's White Flannelette Gowns, secured by our Annex buyer at a most liberal price occasion, which enables us to offer this extraordinary value. These Gowns would indeed be special value at 89c; they are particularly well made and nicely trimmed. Insertion and lace trimmed yoke, buttoned front. Sizes 34, 36, 38. On Wednesday, 55c.

LAST OF THE BOYS' AND GIRLS' COAT SWEATERS 10c

Peasman made Coat Sweaters for Boys and Girls. Every garment well made of heavy and fine ribbed wool. Every wanted style and almost every color. Regular values \$1.25 to \$1.50. New Year's Annex, per garment 59c.

TWO O'CLOCK LEADER

Yard Wide Factory Cotton 8c

A one-half lot of Factory Cotton firm and pure; fully 36 inches wide; a splendid quality cloth for sheets and pillow cases. Cut in lengths 5 yards or over. Owing to the wonderful value and limited quantity we advise an early purchase. 2 O'clock Leader, per yard, 8c.

THE CRESSMAN

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

"Spero" Flannelettes, Best 15c Value for 10c

For many years we have selected "Spero" Flannelettes as the best 15c value obtainable; our opinion has the approval of hundreds of our regular customers who come season after season and insist on "Spero" quality. An extra heavy weight, beautiful, soft combed finish. A large range of various color stripe patterns; 33-34 inches wide. 5 10c. Vards or over at, per yard.

14 YARD TAPESTRY CARPET ENDS 40c

One case only of Tapestry Carpet Ends, all one and a half yards long; good assortment of patterns and colors. Regular 60c to 85c yard. A soap in the Annex at 40c per End.

AVIATION CAPS FOR TOBOGGANING AND SNOW-SHOEING 39c

The popular wool knit Aviation Cap for girls and ladies. Most suitable to wear whilst skating, tobogganing or snow-shoeing or, for that matter, street wear. All one color, or two color combinations. New Year's Annex 39c.

WOMEN'S 5c LONG BLACK DRAWERS, 20c

"Crescent Brand" long black Drawers for women; heavy, close knit, elastic ribbed, Jersey band, snug ankles. Sizes 34-36. Always a 50c line. Reduced specially for our Annex customers. 39c.

74-INCH TWILLED FLUTTE SHEETING 30c

Our special 50c heavy twilled Flannelette Sheet, over two yards wide. English make. An early purchase is really essential here, as there are only sixty yards—one piece. New Year's 39c. Annex, per yard.

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

Boys' and Girls' 50c Toggles 25c

Clearing lines from our regular stock of 40c and 50c short and long toggles for boys and girls; heavy honeycomb and fine cashmere knit, in plain colours and combinations—a splendid assortment for early buyers. All will be cleared at almost half price. New Year's Annex Leader, 25c.

THE NEW YEAR'S ANNEX---WONDERFUL VALUES

THIS, THE 1914 BARGAIN ANNEX EVENT, CLOSING THE MOST SUCCESSFUL YEAR IN THE HISTORY OF THIS DEPARTMENT. WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF THANKING YOU FOR YOUR PATRONAGE, AND AT THE SAME TIME WE TENDER YOU OUR BEST WISHES FOR THE COMING YEAR.

CLEARING LOT OF STRIPED CHAMBRAY BLOUSES, RUSH PRICE, 39c

We have put a rush price on these Chambray Blouses as a means of quickly clearing them. They are made of good quality fabrics, and will launder well. Mostly light grounds, stripe patterns, high collars. A splendid assortment of sizes; regular 98c values. Rush price 39c.

MEN'S HEAVY RIBBED WOOL UNDERSHIRTS, 40c

Men's Scotch Knit Ribbed Undershirts, slightly dust soiled. Sizes 34, 36, 38. Our best 75c stock quality marked at an extremely low figure in order to clear quickly. New Year's Annex per garment 49c.

NEW MODEL CORSETS VERY SPECIAL 39c

The main feature of these Corsets is that two of the four hose supporters are attached to extra side pieces, which fit over the hips and aid considerably in producing good posture. Hues; medium bust. Special value 39c.

Men's and Women's Rubbers---Leader Prices

Highest grade "Maltose Brand" Men's Rubbers, also "City Brand" Rubbers for women. Rubbers that will not tear at the seams or blister at the soles. New Year's Annex price: MEN'S REGULAR 69c WOMEN'S REGULAR 49c. 51.00 FOR 69c 49c FOR.

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T.A.S. Officers Elected

At the meeting of St. Peter's T. A. S. the following officers were elected for the coming six months: President—John Hanrahan. Vice-Pres.—Michael Sharpe. Sec. Sec.—Thos. Curran. Fin. Secretary—John O. Kelly. Rec. Secretary—A. H. Lohane. Treasurer—J. McCarthy. Marshal—T. McCabe and J. Biles. Guard—D. Sheahan.

Trustees—J. A. Sharpe, M. H. Quinn, M. H. Bonobue, G. P. Murphy and George A. Heane. Representatives on the advisory board of the amalgamated total abstinence societies—J. Maher, J. A. Sharpe, John McCabe, Sr., A. H. Lohane and Jas. Hickey.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH

Ladies and Gentlemen—Having been nominated for School Trustee for the year 1915, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence in my behalf. I should be pleased to support and advocate only such measures as would secure the efficient economical management of the educational requirements of the city.

Wishing you all a happy and prosperous New Year, believe me to remain yours truly,

Social and Personal

Mr. Art Primrose of Detroit is visiting in the city.

Mr. Peter Spratt, of Peterborough, is the guest of his parents during the holiday season—Lindsay Warder.

Mr. W.E. Davidson, formerly of Hall Mead and Davidson, now of Winnipeg, is back here for Christmas.

Mr. Charles M. Shostotham, Medicine Hat, Alberta, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Storey, 270 Dublin Street.

Mr. T.A. Brown of the Trent Canal, Mrs. Brown, son and juvenile ward of Campbellford, registered yesterday at the Oriental Hotel.

Miss Olive Yolland, of Peterborough, is spending the week-end with her friend, Miss Lenore Clarke, Victoria Avenue—Lindsay Warder.

Mr. Chas. Paton, of Peterborough, spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Paton, Mill St.—Lindsay Warder.

Miss Kathleen Brown, of St. Mary's convent, Peterborough, spent the holiday in St. Joseph's Academy—Lindsay Warder.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Lindsay Post says that last Friday was "the first dry" Christmas had ever in its history. There must have been a whole lot of frozen law in that town on Christmas 1914!

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The local police force is giving a handsome silver cup for the most points in Bad Orphingtons at the coming local poultry show which opens on Jan. 24th. What the local cops don't know about "chickens" is hard to learn.

See the splendid stock of New Year Greeting post cards at The Times' Bookstore.

ROYAL THEATRE

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Our Local Police

It is true that the local police realize that the effectiveness of a police force is not dependent upon convictions in a police court judgment, by Magistrate Dunlop's judgment given yesterday in a case when four local bank clerks committed the heinous (?) offense of working on Sunday, at the end of the year, to get their annual reports out, they were subjected to the indignity of being hauled before the Magistrate. It is time, judging by Mr. Dunlop's decision, that such a reversion to the old time Blue Laws should be abolished. We quite understand that a majority of the local force, who are not all Canadian born, are anxious to show their persistent effort to make arrests. Still, even in War Times, the police might realize that the tax payer who is charged for maintenance of the force is superior to himself (even the British) officers who want to show us Canadians our duty. There is such a word as "common sense" and the quicker the local police get wise to this axiom, the quicker will our police be respected by the local community. There have been too, many arrests of late of men who may have had a temporary "fall of the water wagon." We do not condemn intemperance or advocate the use of intemperance. Still there very recently imported scums of England or Scotland know very well that many of the arrests made in this city, would not, under similar circumstances be tolerated in the old country. Let the local police use a little better judgment! The local force, who maintain order, still, as usual, there is a stepping beyond the realm of common sense.

A SOLDIER DIPLOMAT

An old time friend of The Times, and a warrior at that, sends us the following military story, which speaks for itself:

"Editor Times:

"Your chicken story in this morning's paper is a good one. Here is another one for you.

"A private in the Canadian Contingent at Salisbury, France, was taking a respite to his tent under his arm, when an officer accosted him, saying: 'So you've been stealing chickens?' 'No, sir,' said the private. 'The old fellow was sitting on a fence, and I told him to crawl for England, and he wouldn't, so I just took him prisoner.'"

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NOTICE is hereby given that a quarterly dividend of Two and One-Half Per Cent. being at the rate of Ten per cent. per annum for the (5) three months ending 31st December, 1914, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this City on and after January 1st, 1915.

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Managing Director.

Peterborough,
December 16th, 1914

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Disclosure of Facts as to German Menace Allies Make Important Gains Through Pluck And Gallantry of British—Trenches Recaptured

GERMAN MENACE FOR YEARS; FACTS ARE BEING DISCLOSED

At Least Three Times in Last Decade War Was on the Horizon. Help by Colonies Blow to Junkers. What War Will Do For Empire Forecasted by Premier

Winnipeg, Dec. 29.—What remains to be done shall be limited only by the need," was the slogan coined by Mr. Robert Borden, Prime Minister of the Dominion, in a speech delivered this afternoon before the Winnipeg Canadian Club, to express the attitude of the Government in the future in regard to the war.

Mr. Borden, after referring to the unanimity of Canada in supporting the Mother Country in this conflict, pointed out that in this Dominion, confronted as we are with peaceful tasks that tax to the fullest extent our energies in the development of our vast territory, and in the upbuilding of a great free nation on the northern half of this continent, it is almost impossible to realize a conception which regards the waging of a war as justifiable, desirable and even a necessary means of national progress and development.

"On three recognized occasions during the past ten years Germany has

brought Europe to the verge of actual war. On two of these occasions she imposed her will upon Europe, but on the third Great Britain stood firmly resolute and Germany recoiled. The events of 1911 have never been forgotten; and there is reason to believe that but for the commanding influence and untiring efforts of Sir Edward Grey the war which broke out in 1914 would have been forced upon Europe during the previous years. I have spoken of three years, but as was once said to me by a statesman of great experience in the Foreign Office: "The international kettle is always on the verge of boiling, although the people know nothing of it until the steam begins to escape." When the secrets of diplomatic records come to be fully disclosed I do not doubt that each of the past ten years German aggression will be found to have made war imminent or at least probable.

"Not only here but in the British Isles military preparation has been impeded because development has proceeded along the path of peace. The instinct of the British people is against militarism and great standing armies are not viewed with favor. But in the British Isles and in the self-governing Dominions alone there are at least sixty millions of people, a population nearly equal to that of Germany.

FOR ALDERMAN THE NORTH WARD

Having been nominated a candidate for Alderman in the North Ward, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence in my behalf.

A. A. McINTYRE

FOR ALDERMAN THE NORTH WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen,—Having been nominated for re-election as Alderman for the coming two years I respectfully solicit your vote and influence in my behalf. My policy is rigid economy consistent with the City's requirements. If elected, I will continue in the future, as in the past, to give citizens in general my best energies.

WM. LANGFORD JR.

FOR ALDERMAN THE WEST WARD

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I take this opportunity of respectfully soliciting your vote and influence in my behalf for re-election as your representative on the Council Board of 1915. It should, I pledge myself to improve your interests and advocate an economical policy as in consultation with solid and substantial municipal progress.

With best wishes for the new year,

Yours truly,

C. WALTER GREEN

British, by a Callant Charge Won Big Advance for Allies

Paris, Dec. 29.—A gain of more than two miles in Belgium the victor's bombardment by the Germans of the allied positions along the main road from Huy to Amiens, the recapture of lost trenches by the allies after violent charges and counter charges and substantial gains in the Alsace district, electrified London and Paris today. Despite the snow and mud which covers the entire field of conflict, the fighting was renewed today with ferocity at many points, according to the afternoon official announcement from the war office. The most pronounced gain was by the British in the vicinity of Neuport. There after a series of conflicts in which the German lines were first battered with shells from the new French battery which had just been placed in service, the British charged the enemy and drove the Germans back beyond St. George. The battle was participated in by a strong allied force and the losses on both sides were very heavy. The lines of trenches

west of Arras from which the Germans dislodged the French a few days ago, are again in the possession of the allies. They were nearly gained however, it required a series of three distinct counter attacks before the Germans were finally forced to withdraw. The fighting was prolonged and of the most sanguinary character. Substantial gains were reported in Upper Alsace.

London, Dec. 29.—That much discussed battleship "Andromeda" is still on the strength of the British navy, as indicated by a letter received here this morning from Edward Higney, a former Canadian now in the British navy, who states the crew of the "Andromeda" are in drydock. It has been transferred to the dreadnought "Pompeo" Elizabeth.

London, Dec. 29.—Admiral from Petrograd says that the Austrians have again met with a most serious reverse and that the Russians are now in a position to attempt a decisive blow at

Gen. Von Hindenburg's main army. Fierce fighting in the snow and mud continues in Belgium and France, with no striking advantage to either side, although the minor successes seem to be chiefly on the side of the allies.

Paris, France, Dec. 29.—The Government announced this afternoon that French dirigible balloons have bombarded the railway station at Barrois and other points along the railway line to Arras. French aeroplanes continue to fly over Metz and to drop bombs on the German hangars at Fraschelt and other points in that vicinity.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 29.—Further Canadian casualties at Salisbury Field include Private G. Hendy, No. 2 Field Ambulance, dead of influenza at Bedford House Hospital and Private Jack O'Connell of the 17th Battalion, seriously ill of influenza. Both men are of English birth.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

At the hour limit for candidates for municipal honours to either qualify or resign—six o'clock last night—the municipal election slate stood as follows:

FOR MAYOR.
William Butler, proposed by John Edgar, seconded by Joseph Bell.
George Henry Thomas, proposed by James G. Graham, seconded by J. M. White.

FOR ALDERMEN.
Centre Ward.
F. H. Dobbin, proposed by T. E. Bradburn, seconded by Thomas R. White, elected by acclamation.
North Ward.
William Langford, Jr., proposed by H. C. Stabler, seconded by W. E. Turner.

A. McIntyre, proposed by J. J. Hartley, seconded by W. H. Hill.

West Ward.
G. W. Green, proposed by Dr. Morrison, seconded by W. Switzer.
H. P. Morgan, proposed by J. C. Crowe, seconded by E. J. Reden.

East Ward.
George Evans, proposed by Frank Whitehouse, seconded by R. T. Tivy, elected by acclamation.

South Ward.
John Edgar, proposed by Joseph A. Bell, seconded by Joseph A. Bell, elected by acclamation.

UTILITIES COMMISSION.
Thomas Francis Matthews, proposed by W. G. Morrow, seconded by G. H. Graham, elected by acclamation.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.
Benjamin Franklin Ackerman, proposed by W. G. Morrow, seconded by R. J. Wind.

For The Board Of Education.
Roland Denne, proposed by Joseph A. Bell, seconded by G. N. Gordon.
George Newcombe Gordon, proposed by Andrew Graham, seconded by J. S. Bell.

Joseph Mabel Green.
Places his business ability at your service for the educational financing of the next term. His education record in conducting an extensive business in Peterborough and District for many years speaks for itself. Your vote for him will mean that you want the best and most efficient administration of Public affairs.

The Contest.
Mayor Butler and Ald. Denne are made in the field for the Mayoralty and these are Alderman's contest to the West and North Wards only. His candidates are running for School Trustees, four are to be elected. Dr. Morrison has retired after lengthy and appreciated service.

In the East Ward Alderman Mabel McIntyre has retired, to participate the campaign of his brother Archie in Ward Four.

PUTS HARTLEPOOL NOW IN SHADE WITH THE BARBARISM MISSING

New York, Dec. 29.—A cable to The Herald from London this morning says: The British raid on Cuxhaven on Christmas Day, when a squadron of seven light cruisers, destroyers and submarines slipped past the German mine fields and attacked the big naval base, has given rise to further demands on the fleet. Writers in the newspapers yesterday were asking why, if Cuxhaven can be successfully attacked, cannot a similar raid be made on Heligoland itself, on Wilhelmshaven, or even on the Kiel Canal.

ITALY HAS UNCOVERED PLOT TO FEED THE GERMAN ARMY

London, Dec. 29.—A Rome despatch to The Times says: "After stopping on the frontier various commissions of contraband goods and flour to Austria, Germany and France, the Italian Government has succeeded in detecting a vast plot for forwarding huge consignments of cereals to Germany."

NEW PROOF HOW GERMANY MISJUDGED THE IRISH IDEA

London, Dec. 29.—The Dublin correspondent of The Times telegraphs: "Professor Kuno Meyer's speech in New York has caused indignation in Ireland. The dominant feeling, perhaps, is one of astonishment at Professor Meyer's complete ignorance of Irish spirit and of Irish opinion."

"If the German professor, who has known England and Ireland intimately for thirty years, can talk such nonsense, what must be the state of mind of the ordinary German citizen? Incidentally the speech is considered to be a blow at the favorite doctrine of the Gaelic enthusiasts that a profound and exact appreciation of Irish life and character may be acquired only through the medium of the Irish language."

Professor Meyer, who is teacher of Celtic languages at the University of Berlin, was one of the speakers at the gathering of Irish and Germans at Turpin Garden on Dec. 17th. At that time he had Harvard University had refused to permit him to deliver a lecture there on Celtic literature, because the President, Dr. Lowell, thought it was an attack on England. He said

and submarine engaged in the novel and air raid on Cuxhaven returned to its base safely but there is no news of the missing aviator, Flight Commander Hewlett, whose apparent loss is greatly deplored. He was extremely popular and had the novel distinction of being the only aviator in the world who had been taught to fly by his mother.

The Daily Sketch publishes the report in the hands of the Germans. According to the account in The Sketch, Commander Hewlett's machine was damaged by shell fire and came down in the sea. When last seen a German torpedo boat was approaching him.

"The Commendatore Ferra, a well-known physician in Rome, and Signor Casarigano, formerly a custom officer, who were involved in the plot have been arrested, the latter while trying to leave with an offer of \$20,000 an official of the general office of the customs to obtain a permit for the exportation."

The great mass of Irishmen favoured Germany.

QUIET OPENING OF PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 29.—The opening of the session of Parliament will be devoid of splendour and of pomp of the former opening. There will be no fans or feathers in the robes of the members of the House of Commons when His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, Duke of Cornwall and Rothesay, will be the predominant feature of the scene.

The drawing room and state balls, the two greatest annual events in Canadian society, have been called off because of the war. Every day brings news of movement to one or the other side of the Government-General's family, and festivities are out of the

BRITISH GOVERNMENT WILL AT ONCE CONSIDER UNITED STATES PROTEST

Little Danger of a Serious Breach Between Great Britain and the States—Big Interests of the Copper People Probably Responsible for the Protest, Which is Intended for Public Consumption

Washington, Dec. 29.—A prompt and generous response is expected, administration officials declared today, to the U.S. government's note to Great Britain complaining of the British interference with United States commerce. Little danger lurks of a serious breach with Great Britain in the American protest, high officials believe. The expectations of the administration that the exchange of notes will result in British regulations freeing American commerce from British interference to a great extent, are based here principally on the ground that Great Britain is extremely anxious to possess the moral support and the friendship not only of the administration but of the American public.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 29.—Sir Allen Aylesworth, Minister of Justice in the late Laurier government, had the following to say this morning regarding the United States' protest to Britain as to the searching of shipping: "I would be inclined to think that pressure had been brought upon the government at Washington by some of the big, powerful interests like the

copper people, and the government has been forced to do something to satisfy their demands. And they have, therefore issued this protest. I don't say that the whole situation was previously discussed with the English government and the whole matter is thoroughly understood between the chiefs on each side of the ocean. The protest as now issued is intended for public consumption.

London, Dec. 29.—Great Britain will give the most careful consideration to the protest of the United States regarding the holding up of American shipping.

This was emphasized at the Foreign office today. It was stated that while officially the Government still has no knowledge of what the United States desires, the staff of the communication has already been communicated to the Foreign Office by Sir Cecil Spring Rice, the British Ambassador at Washington. Arrangements have been made or Ambassador Page to present the note to Sir Edward Grey. It will at once be referred to the Cabinet for consideration.

CANADA WILL PROBABLY FORMALLY APOLOGIZE FOR SHOOTING INCIDENT

Washington, Dec. 29.—Formal representations were made to Great Britain today through the British Ambassador regarding the action of the Canadian frontier militia in firing on American duck hunters, near Fort Erie.

These representations will be followed up by others of a more definite character as soon as Secretary of State Bryan receives a full report on the details of the incident.

That Canada will make formal apologies for the incident, denying responsibility for the action of the troops, is thought here to be certain. She will probably be asked, however, to pay an indemnity to the family of the dead man and to punish those who did the shooting.

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THE MORNING TIMES

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 30, 1914

Popularized the Navy

Charles Dibdin, who is best remembered as a writer of patriotic songs—the Kipling of his century, as Henry called him—died a little more than a hundred years ago—on July 25, 1814. Born in 1745, he was known in public from boyhood, for while a chorister at Winchester he enjoyed a considerable local reputation for his fine voice. In his fifteenth year he was taken to London by his older brother Thomas, captain of a West India man, in whose memory he wrote and composed many years later one of his best-remembered songs, "Tom Bowling." The youth, whose ambitions were musical, was soon thrown on his own resources, through his brother and his ship being taken by the French. He obtained employment in the chorus at Covent Garden Theatre, and his abilities quickly raised him to solo parts in English operas. To be a performer on the stage was not Dibdin's desire, but he worked hard to improve himself by careful study of Garrick, and attained some fame in character parts. Meanwhile, he continued to practice composition, and before he was nineteen he produced with success his first ballad opera, "The Shepherd's Artifice."

Dibdin's lyrics were more potent than all the press-gangs in bringing men into the Navy in war time. With truth he boasted: "My songs have been the source of sailors in long voyages, in storms, in battle, and they have been quoted in mutinies, to the recreation of order and discipline."

For his great services in popularizing the Navy in a period of national danger a grateful Government granted him a pension in 1805 of \$1,000, and as his physical powers were failing he disposed of his theatre and music business and retired. In 1807 his content was rudely disturbed by a new Government withdrawing his pension. Traifalgar had been fought, and the Navy did not so much matter! As a result the last seven years of his life were full of trouble, he valiantly but vainly trying to recapture his old public.

In Camden Town Park there is still to be seen Dibdin's tombstone bearing the quotation from "Tom Bowling":

His form was of the manliest beauty,
His heart was kind and soft,
Faithful below he did his duty,
And now he's gone aloft.

Beside it stands a monument raised in 1889 to his memory, and an excellent bust memorial by Richard Westmacott was placed in the Library of Greenwich Hospital in 1829.

Strains of Infantry C. O.

The officer commanding a British Infantry battalion, who is known as the "C.O.," or, behind his back, the "old man," receives \$5.85 a day, exclusive of certain allowances. His gross income is well under \$200 a year, and he is certainly not overpaid, for he must be exceptionally lucky to get command before he is forty, and his responsibilities are heavy.

The C.O.'s daily day varies greatly according to climate and other circumstances, but, as a rule, he starts work with "orderly room" at 9 or 10 a.m.

The "orderly room" is the regimental police court, and, like those of a police magistrate, the C.O.'s penal powers are limited. He must investi-

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THE SULTAN

Woman Was Operated on for the Abdominal Aneurysm

An amusing story of Abdul Hamid, sultan of Turkey, is that one of his daughters was suffering from appendicitis. An operation was necessary. But before he would allow this to be performed Abdul Hamid required proof of the surgeon's skill. Accordingly, the surgeon removed the appendix from a woman who was in a hospital suffering from disease of the ear. The operation was successful and the ex-sultan consented to it being made on his daughter. The woman later experienced regret that she had allowed herself to be "vivisectioned" and claimed damages from Abdul Hamid (the "restoration of her appendix being impossible.")

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The ranch is situated on the well known Glenaladale Farm, owned by Major C. McKinnon, located on the shore of St. John's Bay, and is only 15 miles from Charlottetown, in a quiet locality, suitably removed from any disturbance.

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Mr. Arthur W. McKinnon, our Ranch Manager, has had much experience in breeding foxes, and has the practical knowledge necessary to efficiently manage and care for the foxes.

THE FOXES

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NOTICE

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The prospectus of this Company are all above board, and will not permit any crook to come in and do anything that is not right. Anyone holding stock in this Company who is dissatisfied can, by notifying the Secretary-Treasurer, have his or her money promptly refunded.

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WILL DESTROY GERMANY'S BIG FLEET

New York, Dec. 25.—A military expert and engineer of this city, commenting today on the English raid on Cuxhaven, at the mouth of the Elbe, referred to it as the best strategic move of the war made thus far by England. The effect of the single raid, he said, might be inconsequential, but it had proved to England, he maintained, that an army could be landed in Schleswig-Holstein, the only exposed part of the German Empire.

This engineer, because of his connection in an advisory capacity with the United States army, would not permit the use of his name. He has directed important public work in Germany as well as in England, and has written extensively on the military operations of the European countries.

Soon Hear of Venture

"England will never accomplish her object in this war—the destruction of the German fleet," he said, "unless she lands an army in Schleswig-Holstein. I believe we will soon hear of a move in that direction."

The dash to Cuxhaven shore that England has made will take a risk some 300 miles from her shore. I believe we will not hear of attacks further north on the coast of Schleswig-Holstein. These attacks, I believe will be made in conjunction with an English army. England must land an army in Northern Schleswig-Holstein, and march it down to the protected harbors and canals, where the German fleet is.

"The first army would, no doubt, have a hard time in landing, but once having gained a foothold the navy on the outside would prevent a dislodgment."

A Question of Time

"Troops could then be landed for weeks and a great army could be built up. Under such circumstances every energy should be directed to an advance through Schleswig-Holstein to the Kiel Canal."

"The Kiel Canal once captured, the capture or destruction of the German fleet would only be a question of time. The army and navy still working together. If Germany attempted the destruction of the canal, it could be restored, and then Russia's unlimited resources of men would be available for use elsewhere than Russia's own frontiers. Russia could then also be strengthened in war munitions from outside."

Half Its Terrors Gone

London, Dec. 25.—The Daily Chronicle's naval correspondent, writing of the raid on Cuxhaven, says: "An interesting point is that the German submarines were unable to take any effective action. Speed and manoeuvring proved the right defense against them. We gain confidence, for already the much-discussed German submarine is deprived of half its terrors. Our own submarines were of real use, for they stood by and picked up those of our allies."

"This Christmas raid was truly a most interesting and novel experiment and as such will figure in the pages of naval history. Another feature of this brilliant achievement is that it has been accomplished in 'confrontment' of the German mine field."

"The Germans must find a good deal of disappointment on this score. Their 'admiral' flotillas can reach Heligoland, remain in safety there for a period, and then across the danger zone without receiving any damage."

WILL TORPEDO ALL KINDS OF BRITISH BOATS

New York, Dec. 25.—A cable to The Tribune from London says: "The reply of the German press to the startling comment of English newspapers on the recent raid on the Yorkshire coast reveals the state of mind at which the Germans have now arrived. The Koenigsberg Zeitung may be cited as a characteristic instance. This journal is one of the organs of the Foreign Office, but it is impossible to know whether the article in question is inspired or not."

TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN CO.

NOTICE is hereby given that a quarterly dividend of Two and One-Half per cent. on the rate of \$100 per cent. per annum for the (3) three months ending 31st, December, 1914, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this institution, and the same will be payable at the office of the Company in this City on and after January 1st, 1915.

The Treasurer's Office will be closed from the 15th to the 20th days of December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

W. C. HARRISON,

Managing Director,

Peterborough,
December 14th, 1914

The Koenigsberg Zeitung says that English newspapers are, as usual when they declare that White and Hartlepool are not fortified places. The whole world knows that White has a coast guard station. According to the German belief, all coast guard stations are liable to be called upon to serve in the navy, and the German journal adds that an enemy has consequently an indisputable right to bombard such military stations.

"That women and children should lose their lives in consequence of such bombardment is, it may be regrettable, but unavoidable, if they remain in such coast towns and are not in security by responsible officials."

"Admiral Schuler, writing in 'The Lokal Anzeiger,' complains bitterly that the Germans, in their conduct of war, and especially of this war, have been far too considerate. The purely human side of war receives far too much attention, and they worry themselves about humanitarian matters when they ought to be conducting their campaigns with all possible vigor. He agrees with Admiral Von Tirpitz, that German submarines must develop still further their activity, and torpedo everything British that comes in their way."

"England is choking 'Germany,'" he writes, "and under the circumstances everything is permissible."

ENGLISH ATHLETE FOUGHT REAL DUEL

Nephew of Lord Chief Justice Wounded
Bullying German in Clash
With Swords

It is seldom that Englishmen engage in duels nowadays—at any rate, in their own country. Occasionally they get embroiled abroad, and a meeting results. Such an encounter took place in Germany. Mr. Dennis Godfrey, nephew of Mr. Godfrey Isaacs, and nephew of the Lord Chief Justice, exacting satisfaction from a bullying German for an insult.

Although only eighteen years of age, Mr. Isaacs is a magnificent athlete, 6 feet 10 inches, 152 pounds in weight, good at running, football, swimming, boxing, golf, and fencing. For three months he studied fencing under a famous Italian master.

"I was walking in the town of Freiburg," he explained, "when a German bumped into me. I took no notice beyond giving him a contemptuous glance, and was passing along when he called out, 'A foul Englishman.' In English. As he would not apologize I struck him across the face with my glove. We exchanged cards, and my second, a Brazilian gentleman, whose name I must not disclose, called on him next morning."

"Four days later we met in the country outside Freiburg. We fought with foils, and the duel lasted about a quarter of an hour. My opponent was fencing in the French style, but I was trained in the Italian school, and my methods puzzled him. Suddenly he made a lunge at me, which I parried by changing point, bringing my sword over his, and thus forcing his weapon sideways and downwards. This parry is also an attack, for my own foil was pointing straight at his heart. As his body came forward I raised my point upwards in order to avoid giving him a fatal thrust, and in so doing I exposed the under part of my forearm, receiving a wound just as my sword entered his breast."

"My injury was a slight affair, but he was seriously wounded. A doctor attended to him, and in a few days he recovered and left the country. I cannot give his name, but he was a civilian."

"Mr. Isaacs supposes that if he ever gets back to Germany the authorities probably will take action against him."

Too Much Kissing

Because her husband did not kiss her enough, the wife of a wealthy man in Antwerp complained to a magistrate. Because his order in this respect had cooled since they were first married, she charged him with loving somebody else. The husband told the magistrate that he was married to many kisses that made his life a burden. An expert witness was called, and he said that after three years of married life a wife could not claim more than three kisses a day, so the wife's complaint was dismissed.

British Army Film

Soldiers of many regiments and a large number of prominent military officers and War Office officials were present at an intimate gathering for the first public presentation of the British Army film at the Palace Theatre.

The film, which is for purposes of advertising the army and stimulating recruiting, was recently shown by command before the King and Queen at Sandringham.

Law of Finding

A decree for \$50 was given at 45 Bayview, Toronto, in the suit of Kevin Kelly, against the Munster and Leinster Bank, for a banknote of that value which he claimed as his property as he found it on the bank counter. "If the owner turns up," said Judge Fitzgerald, "he is entitled to it. If he does not it is the property of the finder."

Druggist's Boy Wins

The first prize in a contest of short story writing, sponsored by the Canadian Red Cross, was won by a boy named John, who was recovered from a serious illness after five months from May, Ireland. It appears that her way home led along a narrow path through the bog, and she must in the darkness have accidentally fallen into the bog.

REGIMENTAL COLORS

Every British infantry battalion, with certain exceptions, carries two colors. These are officially known as the King's color and the regimental color. They are issued from the Royal Army Clothing Factory at Pimlico, and have to last for twenty years. To distinguish them is simple, since the first color shows a Union Jack on a blue field, with a crown in the center, while the second color has a wreath of roses, shamrocks, and thistles, with the regiment's crest and motto and list of battle honors embroidered on it.

Infantry colors are always carried by the two senior second-lieutenants, and are escorted by a guard of non-commissioned officers, termed color-sergeants. In barracks the colors are kept in the officers' mess, and when they appear on parade they are received with the highest honors, and all present have to salute them.

Cavalry regiments carry standards or guidons, instead of colors. These are made of crimson silk or damask, with gold-embroidered tassels and pords, mounted on a lance.

Owing to the ready mark they offer the enemy's bullets, and the great sacrifice of valuable lives entailed in preserving them from possible capture, regimental colors are no longer taken into action. The last time they were carried in the field was during the Boer War of 1881. Nowadays, when a battalion proceeds on service, the colors are left behind at headquarters.

TREATIES AND CONTRACTS

Treaties are among nations much what contracts are among citizens—solemn undertakings to the performance or observance of which national honor is pledged. Just as the individual pledges his honor and his estate to the fulfilling of his obligations. When the individual makes default or violates his undertakings a kind of force is had recourse to, and often in the end actual physical force is applied. The citizen failing to carry out his obligations is sued in the courts, and if he does not comply with the judgment rendered against him, the officers of the courts have recourse to force in order to carry out the court's decision. As has been said by a great jurist, litigation is to individuals what war is to nations. The individual in fault can be called before the courts of his country, but there is no international tribunal with sufficient force behind it to call to account a nation violating its treaties, and the nations aggrieved have to take the case into their own hands and apply force by means of war.

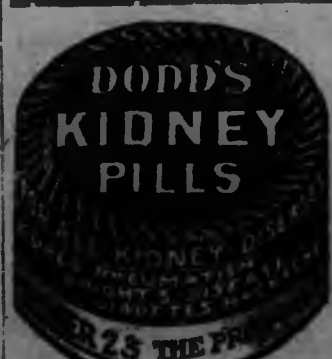
PIGMY AND GIANT

Germany Has About Nine Times the Population of Belgium

Belgium has an area of 11,373 square miles, approximately equal to that of the State of Maryland, or to that of Western New York, east of Syracuse. Her population, 7,432,784, is approximately equal to that of the State of Pennsylvania.

Compared to this, the German Empire in Europe has an area of 295,760 square miles, or approximately that of the States of New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Michigan. The population of Germany is 64,923,992, or nearly three-fourths that of the entire United States.

The war strength of Belgium's army is 222,000, while that of Germany is 5,200,000.



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Wellington Campaign Plans

The map found on a captured Uhlans marked with the prearranged marches of the German troops reminds one that Wellington frustrated fixed plans of campaign. Asked on one occasion how he managed to capture Napoleon's marshals one after the other, he replied: "They planned their campaigns just as you might make a splendid set of harness. It looks very well, it answers very well, until it gets broken and then you're done for. Now, I made my campaign of ropes. If anything went wrong I tied a knot and went on."

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BRITISH-CANADIAN

Do you desire to make large profits on your investment in Alberta Oil Shares?

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In order that you may do this in the case of the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., we hereby give you the information we have secured through our rigid investigation and analysis of said company, and in giving this information we would say that we believe it is correct in every detail.

(1) The British Canadian Oil, Ltd., is incorporated for \$1,000,000; 10,000,000 shares at the par value of 10c.

(2) About 500,000 shares of the stock have already been sold, and are now in the hands of the investing public.

(3) The Directors' and Officers' stock is all paid.

(4) The Company is the holder of petroleum, and natural gas leases on over 7,000 acres of land in the Province of Alberta.

(5) The Directors, Officers and Solicitors of the Company are all reliable and conscientious business men who have the welfare of the company at heart, and who desire in every manner in their power to give the public a square run for their money.

(6) The Company is now erecting on Section 31, Township 24, Range 4, an up-to-date combination rotary and standard rig.

(7) The Company expects to commence drilling inside of 3 days, and continue with all possible despatch.

(8) The Company has secured as Field Superintendent a man who knows his business thoroughly.

(9) The said Superintendent has engaged competent drillers to carry out his instructions.

(10) The treasury of the Company is now well financed.

(11) A reputable local geologist in reporting on adjoining property makes the following statement in said report:

"There is a plunging tendency in the crest of the anticline which causes its crest to sink toward the Elbow river. The crest of this dome-shaped structure seems to be in the neighborhood of Section 31, of Township 24, and Section 6 of Township 25."

(12) A reputable petroleum engineer in reply to an enquiry from us, stated that the lease held by the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., in Section 31, is situated on the most perfect anticline he has seen in Western Alberta.

(13) British Canadian shares are listed on the three Calgary exchanges, and are very active traders.

(14) The price of British Canadian shares is very low at the present time; we expect to see it go much higher.

In view of the above information secured by us, we have no hesitation whatever in advising you to at once buy the shares of the British Canadian Oil, Limited, at 15c per share, believing that you will get a square run for your money, and big profits on your investment.

We are prepared to fill your orders for British Canadian shares at 15c each, but this price is subject to raise without notice. Any new strike in the oil field, or any other exciting report might send this stock to a very high price. We would suggest that you wire us at our expense and let your remittance follow, or if you prefer, write us and enclose your remittance.

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Signature _____

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"How much would that cost?" "About \$40,000."

It turned out that the customer wanted the straight edge for a scrapbook, and the manufacturer, who had heard of an inch would not deliver him.

THE ICEBERG DANGER

New Devices for Warning Ship of Approaching Danger

Since the terrible Titanic disaster, scientists and engineers have devoted much time and attention to devising means by which ships may detect the vicinity of icebergs. The old method consisted of a thermometer being lowered into the water when the iceberg was being approached, the distance of the iceberg being judged according to the temperature of the water in the vicinity.

Since the increase in the speed of big liners, however, this method has been found to be quite inadequate, and the need for a more accurate method has become more acute. One of the most reliable inventions for detecting icebergs at sea seems to be that of Dr. Copland, of the University of Leeds, who invented an apparatus which detects the presence of icebergs by giving readings of the salinity contents of the water. The salinity of the water is to the ship the same as the sound of a bell in the water. The Canadian Government assisted Dr. Copland in his investigations.

Another invention of which high hopes are entertained is what is known as the piezothermometer, an instrument enabling very much closer readings of the temperature of the water to be obtained than is possible with an ordinary thermometer. It is also a piezometer.

Submarine signalling, too, for the purpose of detecting icebergs in foggy weather, is being studied closely by the experts, for it is recognized that there is much room for improvement in the signalling apparatus used at sea.

The modern system of submarine signalling consisted of bells sunk in at least 20 feet of water, operated by electricity or pneumatic or hydraulic pressure. It is said that submarine bells can be heard at a greater distance than any foghorn, siren, or any other generally used air signal or device, and it is recorded that one of these bells was heard at a distance of from ten to fifteen miles.

The receiving apparatus is very simple, consisting of two cast-iron tanks, which are placed on either side of the ship in contact with the hull of the ship. In each tank is the microphone, which is connected by an electric telephone system with the bridge. There the navigating officer has suitable receivers and switches which enable him to listen on either side of the ship. If he hears the sound of the ship on hearing the bell as that the intensity of the sound is equal on both sides of the ship then the bell lies straight in front, and according to the intensity of the various sounds he is able to avoid danger.

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HON. T. CHASE CASGRAIN

His father before him, Jean Casgrain, was the founder of the family, who settled in Quebec before the conquest, and did his best to defend the ancient capital against the English in 1759. He had been in his early days a soldier in Europe.

Collateral branches of the family have also contributed notable names to Canadian history. Mr. Casgrain's uncle, F. B. Casgrain, who is still living at an advanced age in Quebec City, was for twenty years M.P. for L'Islet. He is a Liberal, and his son, Hon. J. B. Casgrain, is a Liberal Senator. Another uncle was the famous Abbe Casgrain, the Canadian historian, whose books are well known to students of history.

One of Mr. Casgrain's great agents married Francis Letellier de St. Just, and was the mother of the Hon. Louis Letellier de St. Just, former Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, and another became the wife of the Hon. Philippe Panet and mother of the late Senator Panet, who was for many years Deputy Minister of Militia and Defence. A sister of his father was married to the late Sir C. A. P. Pelletier, another of the Lieutenant-Governors of Quebec, and her son is Colonel Oscar Pelletier, of the Canadian regular military forces.

The circumstance that the Postmaster-General was born in Detroit was probably due to the fact that his grandmother's family had been old residents of that city. His father, when he had completed his medical course at McGill University, settled in Detroit where he resided for several years, marrying a Detroit girl, Miss Mary Chase, and building up a fair practice. Soon after his eldest son's birth, he returned to Canadian soil, living first in Sandwich and then in Windsor.

The future Postmaster-General was sent to Quebec for his education, and there at the Little Seminary and later at Laval University he distinguished himself for his intellectual ability. He first came into prominence as junior counsel for the Crown in the trial of Louis Riel at Regina in 1885, and later, as Attorney-General of the Province, strengthened his position in legal circles. He subsequently held for two terms at Ottawa, but for some years devoted himself to his practice in Montreal.—By W. A. Craik in The Toronto Star Weekly.

Canada's Land Resources
Canada has 1,001,000,000 acres of land in its nine provinces. 440,000,000 acres are cultivable, but only 3% per cent, or 33,000,000 acres, are actually under cultivation.

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Fatsy Tobson, one of the greatest of old-time managers, has no use for "old glove" baseball. When he heard that President Ben Johnson requested Manager Birmingham's Cleveland players as "too rough," Fatsy expressed the opinion that the mollycoddle days had come.

"Show me a ball club that is fighting every inch of the way, and I'll show you a team that is after the pennant," he said. "This having players shaking hands every time they meet is foolish. It was the best the wrong managers. You've got to get the fighting spirit to win."

"We never thought of greeting our opponents. Our idea was to get out and beat them. I can see a manager adding to first with me playing the bag and getting his head pumped with the ball. Think I'd apologize? Not Fatsy Tobson! Get your head out of the way and you won't get hurt. I would be more like it. About a year ago I saw a fellow steal second. He came up all fast, and what do you think happened? Why, the second baseman helped him down his under. And that team finished last in the race. That isn't my brand of baseball. "Rush the other fellows off their feet. Make them think you're tough."



FATSY TOBSON
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Score them to death and you've got them killed. We used to sit on the bench and die our spikes. They had to be sharp to give when they cut into the ground and set the same time the other team knew we wouldn't give an inch in a pinch. One day I was sharpening my spikes when I heard a man on the other team say, "When Tobson slides into you but I'm going to get out of the way. I had him scored, see?"

"There's a difference between rowing and aggression. The aggressive player will be on top when the parlor boy is at the bottom. On the field, oh, well, that's different. On the field fight them to the last."

BEN TINCUP IS RICH

Indian Pitcher Plays Ball Only Because He Likes It

The majority of ball players are in the game for the money. They can get out of it; a few play it because of their love for the game. Ben Tincup belongs to the latter class. Tincup is a Cherokee Indian pitcher the Braves played up. He hails from Texas, and is said to be the richest ball player in the world, and probably one of the wealthiest men in baseball.

When the Indian comes of age in a few months his yearly income will be over \$50,000 a year. He already has \$20,000 stored away in a bank, besides being the possessor of 100 acres of valuable oil lands in Oklahoma, which the Government is leasing for him. So if Tincup fails to make good in the big leagues he won't have any cause to worry.

Since he is one of the few remaining Cherokee Indians, all the Oklahoma lands are held in trust for him. As soon as he is 21 years old he will go to Washington to collect the dividends which are accumulating for him. Tincup's allotment of land was among the oil fields he is wealthier than many of the other survivors of the Cherokee tribe.

Preparing in Time
Antwerp has already commenced to prepare for the Olympic games, to be held in that city in 1920. A committee has been formed, and the support of the most influential persons in Belgium obtained.

The town authorities are to obtain a vote of several million francs for the expenses, and everything is being done to make the event a huge success. In recent years Belgium has come to the fore in international sports.

Forgot Bride For Dog
So anxious was Charles Humer, of California, for a noted wife, that he forgot to marry her. He had lost his mind that he forgot that it was his wedding day. When he was told a hour before the wedding by his friend that the bride was waiting, he recovered his mind and rushed out of the house and started heading through the woods of his estate and the wedding party was getting nervous when he was rescued by phone after finding his dog. He had lost his mind that he forgot that it was his wedding day.

Late Novelty
To have a bath without water is one of the latest novelties. A thick robe, is entwined with wires, and when put on, a current of electricity is passed through the wires. The wearer of the robe soon finds his body getting warmer, until in a little while he perspires as freely as if he were in a Turkish bath.

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SOLDIERS MUST PAY

Compulsory Cable on the Pay of the British Private

The pay of the British private soldier is from 25 cents to 40 cents a day, according to his regiment, but every penny he receives is not clear pocket money. For he must pay from sixpence to one shilling a month to the sports fund, which provides him with cricker implements and fannels, footballs and football boots, and so on, and a like amount to the regimental rifle club.

Then the soldier must pay one half-penny per day to the comrade's wife who does his little bit of washing. (That's a month he has to be a sergeant!) Two pence per month goes to the company barber, which sum, as a rule, only covers the cost of one "hair cut." Any "extras" having to be paid for personally, and in regiments where a journal is maintained the soldier is expected to display his good feeling by submitting cheerfully to a copy—generally three pence a month.

Then there may be some sort of regimental benevolent fund for ex-soldiers, towards which all good soldiers will inevitably contribute by "official persuasion"; and among other funds peculiar to certain regiments may be mentioned a recruits' supper fund, a big game shooting fund, and a munition makers' early morning coffee fund. In addition, the soldier has shoemakers' and tailors' bills to meet occasionally, and he must provide from his own pocket such "extras" as pipettes, soap, walking-out-cases and gloves, and brass polish.

JAVELIN VERSUS GOLF

Mr. F. M. A. Webster, of the London Athletic Club, and his sister-in-law, Miss Doris Roberts, with Javelin, played a match with Mr. Harry Vardon and Mrs. Gordon Robertson, the women golf professionals, who used the regulation clubs and golf balls. The golfers conceded two-thirds in the matter of distance, and they were five up and had four to play in a contest of eighteen holes. The javelin throwers had a shaft 2 feet square, in which to "hole out," while the golfers had to get their ball into the ordinary hole of 4 1/2-inch diameter. After the match Vardon and Mrs. Gordon Robertson took a turn at javelin throwing, and Vardon made several throws of 100 feet. Mr. Webster's best throw was one of 160 feet.

A Famous Figurehead

The figurehead which formerly adorned the prow of the Orion, one of Nelson's Trafalgar battleships, has been placed in position at the entrance to the Museum of the United Service Institution, in Whitehall.

UNIONIST DOG'S \$35 BITE

Comberwell Club to Pay Damages to Unfortunate Visitor

There were queer political asides to an action brought in the Lambeth County Court by Thomas John Hoyton, a Brixton hairdresser, to recover \$125 damages from the Comberwell Unionist Club, and Edward Aldwell, the club steward, for injuries arising from the bite of a dog.

Judge Parry: "Is this a Unionist dog?"
Mr. Beresford (for the plaintiff): "That I cannot say."
"Is it the property of the club?"
"I understand it belongs to the steward, but the club harbors the dog, which is kept chained up in a yard."

Mr. Hoyton said that he was at the club as a visitor, and after a game of billiards he went into the yard, where the dog bit him. The dog had bitten members of the club.

Judge Parry: "It seems to be a very dangerous club to belong to."

George William Copper secretary of the club, said the dog, which did not belong to the club, was still there.

Judge Parry: "Then it is a member of the Unionist club. This is an Irish Unionist terrier, and the club keeps it at their own risk." His Honor gave judgment for \$35 and costs.

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Newsy Jottings of British Isles

Decreased Naval Reading
The report of the Edinburgh Public Library states that the total reading for a year was \$23,233 volumes, showing a decrease of 45,391. There was a decrease of 34,328 in the issue of novels.

Arrest by Telephone
After engaging rooms in Dover, a man, giving the name of Walter Powell disappeared and the landlady missed \$75 worth of jewellery. Telephone information resulted in Powell being arrested at Folkestone with most of the property on him.

Cottages For Old Folks
The Glasgow Old Men's Friend Society and Old Women's Home decided to erect small houses on their property, the occupancy of which will be given free to old married couples in needy circumstances.

Dead Clerk's Unpaid Bills
At a Plumtree, North, inquest on Edward Steeles Jackson, a clerk, whose untimely death was caused on the Midland Railway, it was stated that a number of tradesmen's bills, pressing for immediate payment, were found in his pocket.

Child's Fourteen Layers of Clothing
The annual report of the medical inspection of school children within the County of Aberdeen states that a very large proportion of the children are over-clothed. All records were broken by a child in Turrit School wearing fourteen layers of clothing.

Both Chairmen's Investments
A bath chairman named Walter Smith, aged seventy-one, was found \$125 and costs at Brighton for making false representations for the purpose of continuing to receive the old age pension. He was proved to have investments of nearly \$4,000.

Juvenile Labor Cases
There is a boy famous at Nottingham, where the demand for juvenile labor far exceeds the supply. A report showing that over eleven hundred children were illegally employed in the city, and to this the scarcity of labor is largely attributed.

Comedy of \$100 Note
The supposed loss by a Blackburn gentleman of a leather case containing a Bank of England note for \$100 caused the town to be pestered with notices offering a \$50 reward. It became known later that the owner had found the case and its contents intact in a pocket of another jacket.

"Science of Clerical Life"
There is an old gentleman at Bromley, Salop. Mr. Josiah Wase, now ninety-three years old who remembers George Eliot very well, and was in Cheltenham Church when the dispute between the vicar and clerk recorded in "Science of Clerical Life" took place.

Hermits Death
An old man named William Williamson, who for very many years lived by himself in a cottage at Wishaw, Scotland, was found dead there. He was found with one knee on a chair and his head resting on the front of the bed. The deceased had lived practically the life of a hermit.

Horse Casts Its Tread
A peculiar accident occurred in one of the main streets of Buenos Aires. During the unloading of a cart of coal a horse took fright and, dashing forward, thrust its head through the plate glass window of a shop. With the main artery of its neck severed, the horse died to death in the street.

Fatal Sequel to Good Deed
Sheriff Blair at Paisley gave judgment in a compensation case brought by the dependants of Alexander Aitken, a gateman in the employment of Finlayson, Bonfield, and Co., Johnstone. Aitken heard of an accident, and in hurrying to telephone for an ambulance wagon was seized with a fatal apoplectic fit. The judge held that the deceased's action, though meritorious, did not fall within the scope of his employment.

Alms-giving
Jessie Brannon was fined \$5.00 at Glasgow for having the custody of a girl aged twelve years and allowing her to frequent a place of ground near Richmond Drive for the purpose of inducing the giving of alms. The girl was stationed beside a small coach, in which was seated the son of a wealthy man, who was partially paralyzed. The youth had a box of matches for sale, and also a small bag into which people were expected to put coins as they passed.

Doctors Making Fortunes
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WOMAN WONLY MORAL

Esser For Her to be Good Than Men, Says Winnipeg Minister

Is a man morally weaker than a woman? was one of the questions asked by Rev. Dr. J. L. Gordon of Winnipeg during a course of lectures. "I will answer that," he said, "by saying that a woman is morally stronger than a man. Man is the incarnation of passion and force. Woman is the incarnation of conscience."

He continued that womanhood formed the anchor that holds the race to moral and Christian living. In answer to the question as to whether the association of men and women in commercial life tends to lower the moral life, he said that it opens the door to temptation, but he considered the Anglo-Saxon womanhood morally the best in the world, and better now than it was 100 years ago. The meeting of men and women in the business life brought temptations, but that is the test of character and developed better manhood and nobler womanhood, than where the women were prevented from associating with men.

Little Things Worth Knowing
To make pies brown and crisp-looking, brush top crust with milk. Plunge tomatoes in very hot water, then into cold. The skin will come off easily, and they will remain firm. Windows and bureau drawers that open stiffly should be rubbed with dry soap.

Save oil papers that come around broad or cracked boxes to clean and treat. Rub and iron over a layer of salt if rough or sticky. If a lemon is warmed before squeezing nearly double the quantity of juice will be obtained.

Home Cold Storage
The more quickly an article of food is cooled the longer it will keep. Never place food directly on the ice. All leftovers containing onions, parsley, turnips or cabbage must be covered tightly or the entire box will be full of their odors.

Fish and cheese impart their flavor readily to milk and butter and often render them unfit for use. Keep fish and cheese out of the refrigerator. Keep pieces of charcoal in an old refrigerator. This will relieve the close, musty odor. Renew every two or three days.

Banishing Kerosene Odor
To remove the odor from bottles or jars which have been used for kerosene, wash in thin milk or lime. This forms an emulsion with the oil and removes every trace, by washing a second time with milk of lime and a little chloride of lime, all odor will disappear.

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PILLAR GUERRERO
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An "Interest" Instrument
A Hungarian citizen invented an instrument which shows instantly the amount of interest due on any given sum for any period at any given rate of interest. The instrument, made in the size and shape of a watch, is of very simple construction, had inexpensive. All that is necessary to operate it is to place the hands in the proper position on the dial and the exact amount of interest in each case is indicated on the face of the instrument.

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A BRONCHIAL COUGH, PERHAPS WEAK THROAT USE "CATARRHZONE"—DEAD SURE CURE

Wonderful Success Reported in Thousands of Bad Cases.

How many thousands are there who would gladly pay any man to be cured of bronchitis or catarrh. Many could be cured if they would just use common sense in selecting their remedy.

Bronchitis of course is an inflammation of the bronchial tubes which were made for the passage of air alone, and neither the moisture of an atomizer nor the liquid of a cough syrup can get into the trouble really is. The diseased parts can only be reached by a remedy that can force its way through all the breathing organs. Doctors who have used "Catarrhzone" say it is the only rational cure for bronchitis. It cures

by inhalation. You breathe in its healing balsam, inhale its soothing catarrhic vapor and relief is immediate. Simple to use, delightful and pleasant—nothing compares with Catarrhzone which is the cure of the day for all bronchial and throat troubles. Mr. H. B. McLaughlin, the well known representative of Parks and Blackwell, Toronto, says: "I have used Catarrhzone for years and can honestly say it is the only remedy that relieves me from a painful attack of Bronchitis. The inhaler for Catarrhzone is always in my pocket and I simply couldn't get along without it. I firmly believe Catarrhzone is a wonderful remedy." Large size sufficient for two months' use, guaranteed, \$1.00; small size 50c; sample or trial size 25c. Sold by dealers everywhere.

City News

FOR SALE

Vacuum Cleaner, entirely new, never having been used, Cost \$19. Will sell very cheap. Apply at The Times office.

Municipal Candidates Qualify

Municipal candidates who had qualified yesterday afternoon were Mayor Butler, Ald. F. H. Dobbin, Ald. G. W. Green, Ald. Wm. Langford, George Evans, John Edgar and T. F. Matthews.

For the Third Contingent

Orders have been received from Kingston by Major Walker, of the 87th Regiment, that it has been decided to mobilize in this district one regiment of mounted rifles, less one squadron, and two infantry battalions for the Third Canadian Contingent. Recruiting for both of the above corps will begin at the Armories tonight at 8 o'clock.

The Mayoralty Contest

Ald. Duncan seems to be out with a determination of capturing the high

honor of the Mayoralty of this city. George Duncan, during his many years as Alderman has a clean record. He has opened two committee rooms, one at 311 George street, and the other at 131 George Street in the premises occupied for the Patriotic Committee's headquarters, and will leave nothing untried to win the support of the electors for his candidature.

Knox Church Officers.

At the regular meeting of the Knox Church Guild the future of the organization was the order of business for 1915. The Guild has just closed another year of success, the best in its history, with an average attendance of sixty. The following officers were elected:

Hon. President—Rev. Mr. McKinnis.

President—Mr. Cecil Williamson, re-elected.

Vice-President—Mr. Walter Yale.

Secretary—Miss Lucy Ego.

Treasurer—Miss Jessie Harvey (re-elected).

Organist—Miss Lola Yale.

Local Manufacturers Note

Lindsay Warder: The Warbler had a short interview with Mr. Alex.

THE MAYORALTY WM. H. BULLER THE PEOPLES CANDIDATE

RESPECTIVELY SOLICITS YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE FOR

RE-ELECTION AS MAYOR

For The Year 1915

A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR TO ALL.

THE MAYORALTY

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF PETERBOROUGH:

Ladies and Gentlemen—I desire to respectfully solicit your votes and your influence that I may be elected Mayor of the City of Peterborough for the year 1915. I was born in this City and have lived here all my life, and I have always felt a deep interest in the City.

I have served you in the City Council for eight years, having been elected several times by the whole City under the general vote system and also since then have represented the South Ward. I have been Chairman of the Board of Works two years and Chairman of the Property Committee four years, and served as a member on all the other Committees, and the experience I have had and the knowledge of the affairs and needs of the City I have obtained during these years will be of advantage in the position of Mayor if you elect me to that office.

I offer myself as a candidate at this time because I have been requested to do so by a large number of electors. One year ago a number of my friends urged me then to be a candidate, but I stood aside upon the statement to me by the present Mayor that he wished the office for one year only, and would not run for a second term, and that my two-year term as Alderman would then have expired, and it would be a more convenient time for me to be a candidate for the office, consequently, I am not violating any custom in being a candidate this year.

My course in the Council is known to you, and while I do not claim not to have made a mistake in the eight years, I feel that I can ask you to support me upon my record as an Alderman. During the coming year I believe the Council should have two principal aims, namely, to conduct the business of the City with the strictest economy, so as to make the tax rate as low as possible, and to offer the revenue upon necessary works in such a manner as to give as large an amount of employment as possible for the money expended and to produce the best results. If you elect me I will keep these aims in view, that the burden of taxation may be as light as possible, and that work may be given to those who need it upon works for the benefit of the City so far as the revenue will permit.

Again soliciting your votes, and wishing you all the compliments of the season.

I am, yours respectfully,

GEO. H. DUNCAN

THE BARGAIN ANNEX EVENT

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

Large Size English Flannelette Blankets \$1.29

Two hundred pairs of best quality English Flannelette Blankets; heavy twilled finish, in all white and white with blue or pink borders. Each pair finished in singles; generous size, measuring 66 x 80. A wonderful Annex opportunity, for we consider this line exceptionally good buying at \$1.65. As a Special New Year's Annex Leader, per pair \$1.29

"FOUR ROLLS" COTTON BATTING 10c

Here's an excellent value Annex line at a most opportune time—just when many are doing their winter quilting. Full 16-ounce rolls of "Fluffy" Cotton Batching. Two bales only. New Year's Annex, per roll 16c

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

22c and 25c Kimona Cloths 14c

Regular stock lines of English Kimona Cloths; colorings of reds, greens, dark purple and blue; very attractive floral and stripe patterns. Every piece priced regular at 22c and 25c. Being odd lines we have marked them at a rush price in order to clear quickly. Annex Leader, per yard, 14c.

BOYS' 2c UNDERWEAR, 2 FOR 2c

Close knit, elastic ribbed garments in the light grey colour. Shirts sizes to 24. Drawers sizes to 32. Regular 25c value. To clear at the New Year's Annex price, 2 for 25c

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

Women's 89c White Flannelette Gowns 55c

Another important purchase of Women's White Flannelette Gowns, secured by our Annex buyer at a most liberal price concession, which enables us to offer this extraordinary value. These Gowns would indeed be special value at 89c; they are particularly well made and nicely trimmed. Insertion and lace trimmed yoke, buttoned front. Sizes 34, 36, 38. On Wednesday, 55c.

LAST OF THE BOYS' AND GIRLS' COAT SWEATERS 50c

Pennam made Coat Sweaters for Boys and Girls. Every garment well made of heavy and fine ribbed wool. Every wanted style and almost every color. Regular values \$1.25 to \$1.50. New Year's Annex, per garment 59c

TWO O'CLOCK LEADER

Yard Wide Factory Cotton 8c

A one-hale lot of Factory Cotton firm and pure; fully 36 inches wide; a splendid quality cloth for sheets and pillow cases. Cut in lengths 5 yards or over. Owing to the wonderful value and limited quantity we advise an early purchase. 2 O'clock Leader, per yard, 8c.

THE CRESSMAN COMPANY

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30th, 1914

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

"Spero" Flannelettes, Best 15c Value for 10c

For many years we have selected "Spero" Flannelettes as the best 15c value obtainable; our opinion has the approval of hundreds of our regular customers who come season after season and insist on "Spero" quality. An extra heavy weight, beautiful, soft combed finish. A large range of various color stripe patterns; 33-34 inches wide. 5 10c

14 YARD TAPESTRY CARPET RUGS 40c

One case only of Tapestry Carpet Rugs, all one and a half yards long; good assortment of patterns and colors. Regular 60c to 85c yard. A snap in the Annex at 49c per Rug

74-INCH TWILLED FLANNETTE SHEETING 30c

Our special 30c heavy twilled Flannelette Sheeting, over two yards wide, English make. An early purchase is really essential here, as there are only sixty yards—each piece. New Year's Annex, per yard 39c

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

Boys' and Girls' 50c Toggles 25c

Clearing lines from our regular stock of 400 and 500 short and long toggles for boys and girls; heavy honeycomb and fine cashmere knit, in plain colours and combinations—a splendid assortment for early buyers. All will be cleared at almost half price. New Year's Annex Leader, 25c.

CHILDREN'S RED OVERSTOCKINGS, 30c

3-1 ribbed worsted wool overstockings in military red colors. Sizes 8, 9, 10 and 11. A brand new Annex line that should be quickly picked up; 38c per pair

THE NEW YEAR'S ANNEX---WONDERFUL VALUES

THIS, THE 75th BARGAIN ANNEX EVENT, CLOSES THE MOST SUCCESSFUL YEAR IN THE HISTORY OF THIS DEPARTMENT. WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY OF THANKING YOU FOR YOUR PATRONAGE, AND AT THE SAME TIME WE TENDER YOU OUR BEST WISHES FOR THE COMING YEAR.

CLEARING LOT OF STYLED CHAMBRAY BLOUSES, 39c

We have put a rush price on these Chambray Blouses as a means of quickly clearing them. They are made of good quality fabrics, and will launder well. Mostly light gingham, stripe patterns, high collars. A splendid assortment of sizes; regular 98c values. Rush price 39c

MEN'S HEAVY RIBBED WOOL UNDERWEAR, 40c

Men's Scotch Knit Ribbed Undershirts, slightly dust soiled. Sizes 34, 36, 38. Our best 75c stock quality marked at an extremely low figure in order to clear quickly. New Year's Annex per garment 49c

NEW MODEL CORSETS VERY SPECIAL 30c

The main feature of these Corsets is that two of the four hose supporters are attached to extra side pieces, which fit over the hips and aid considerably in producing good lines; medium bust. Special value 39c

Men's and Women's Rubbers---Leader Prices

Highest grade "Maltese Brand" Men's Rubbers, also "City Brand" Rubbers for women. Rubbers that will not tear at the seams or blister at the soles. New Year's Annex price:

MEN'S REGULAR 69c WOMEN'S REGULAR 49c

The CRESSMAN Company Limited

STORE OPENS 9.15 ANNEX CLOSES 8.45 STORE CLOSING 8.30

NEW YEAR'S ANNEX LEADER

Coating and Dress Goods Mill Ends \$1.25

Mostly a new lot of Coating, Tweed, and Dress Goods Mill Ends. Many splendid lengths of widest width, heavy, all-wool Coatings, measuring 1 1/2 yards—a few two alls. Also Tweeds, Suitings and light weight Dress Fabrics varying from 1 1/2 to 3 yards in length. Regular values by the piece are \$2.00 to \$3.50. All one price for the New Year's Annex, per end, \$1.25.

CHILDREN'S PLECK LINED SLEEPING SUITS 40c

Sleeping Suits for the "Little Tots," either boys or girls. These Suits are fleece lined, have buttoned back and drop seat, closed feet. Regular values to 75c, according to size. New Year's Annex, per garment 49c

Annex Laundry Soap 10 Bars 29c

Royal Toilet Paper 8 Rolls for 29c

Extra special value as a New Year's Annex Leader. The usual size and quality Laundry Soap; also large size rolls of Royal Toilet Paper. Annex Leader:

Annex Laundry Soaps, 10 bars 29c
Royal Toilet Paper, 8 Rolls... 29c

Horn, of the Horn Bros. Woolen

Mills, this morning and received some startling information regarding the firm's severe loss by the recent fire, which destroyed one of the best industries in Lindsay. Mr. Horn's suspicions are well founded, from statements made to the Warbler, and it may be a warning to mill owners throughout Ontario to guard against the intrigues of the arch fiend, who not only wish to devastate the Mother Country, but to strike a crippling blow to our manufacturing industries in Canada. It is feared the shadow of a doubt that some one of the pro-German sentiment dealt the death blow to Horn Bros. Woolen Mills, through the agency of an explosive.

Our Local Police Force

In yesterday's issue appeared an article not finding fault in general with the local police force for lack of performing their duty, but claiming that in some instances members of the force are somewhat too lax in the performance of their duty in making arrests of men who have, in a plain way, stepped from a strict observance of the law or fallen from the "water wagon." We still maintain that in some cases of drunken men there are a few of our local officers too over zealous. Still we want only to be fair. Peterborough has, for her population, an admirably conducted police force. In conversation with (Miss) Thompson yesterday a Times reporter was shown how many a man who may be temporarily the worse for liquor and somewhat inebriated, is brought to the station and, on a policeman's word, is released, allowed to go, instead of being hauled before the Magistrate. He noted the case of a stranger who got drunk and was found asleep under the machine building recently. This man was

brought to the station had \$40 on his

person. He was detained until sobered up and then let go with the \$40 still in his possession. If he had not been arrested the \$40 would probably have gone into the possession of some sneak thief.

Social and Personal

Readers of The Times are requested to please to send to the office any news of persons or events that may come to their notice.

Mr. James Thompson, M.P.P. of

Navalock, was a guest at the Oriental Hotel yesterday.

Miss McBride, of Peterboro, spent the holiday with friends in town.

Messrs. D. Greenwood and Sidney McLarn of Gavan were in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. Taylor Norton of Toronto, Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. Boy's department for Ontario, was a guest at the Oriental Hotel yesterday.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Over \$1250 was collected in Lindsay's police court during the present year.

Let us see, after January 1st, that local water wagons have more seating capacity.

W. McFarman of the 45th Regiment, at Lindsay, has received the "long service" medal.

"Nothing Doing" was the sign hung out at the local police court yesterday morning.

An election in Enniskillen will be

held for the position of reeve, with W.H. Crowe and John Young, the contestants.

Major Fox of Lindsay, has received official orders to mobilize three hundred and fifty men at that town immediately.

Yesterday a gentleman on Park St., who was at the business end of a snow shovel, remarked to the Times "I'll bet the man who wrote that poem, 'Benetite, Snow,' came from Texas or Louisiana."

BRITISH WAR PICTURES

"On Belgian Battlefields" is the title of The Chicago Tribune motion picture which will be shown at the Grand Opera House for two days commencing Friday next. They are the only views of the war being shown in America, that were secured with the approval of the Belgian Government.

Joseph Medill Patterson, who was at the front when the war broke out at Liege, near Antwerp, secured permission from the command to take the view on condition that half of the profits be turned over to the Belgian Red Cross relief fund. This is being done.

The pictures tell in a graphic manner the story of that early September engagement, of which Mr. Patterson has written as follows:

"The following day we were in the firing zone again, in and out of it all day long. Again we heard the sharp crack and sharp snap as we saw it knock tiles from roofs in almost with fifty yards and again I was struck afire."

"In spite of the hideous wounds in the dead and dying, of which we saw many, at times I could almost make myself think that, so far as it concerned me, at least, all the firing was

h, well. I had heard the same noise yesterday and nothing had happened to me. This wasn't my usual state of mind as a rule—I was afraid, but also I had my moments when I entertained a soldier's superstition that the 'bullet' wasn't provided which could touch me."

These wonderful pictures will be shown at the Grand Opera House every afternoon and night beginning Friday January 1st, also Saturday, January 2nd, at 2.30 and 8.15 both days.

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The funeral will be held on Saturday at 2:30 from the residence of his son to Little Lake cemetery.

PUBLIC OPINION

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THE WAR AND DRINK

Editor Morning Times, Sir,—Now that Canada is at war and, owing to depressed business conditions in consequence, thousands are out of work, I would thoughtfully offer a suggestion. In this city we have enormous quantities of hotels and three liquor stores. These men, under the liquor system are permitted to sell distilled and fermented liquors. Now any one man, temperance advocate or drinking man will admit that it is the strong drink, the distilled extract of grain that causes the most drunkenness and the most misery to families of the drinker. I think our Legislature should be wise to reduce the license fee to license that production, under bond, to sell only fermented liquors and soft drinks. Such places would, in my opinion, by selling only the soft drink, help to save money for the families of men who drink and thus help our present economic condition.

—C. Hamilton

C. WALTER CHEN

Alldendale Candidate for Re-election to the West Ward.

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF CENTRE WARD.

Ladies and Gentlemen: I wish to thank the ratepayers of the Ward for the great confidence implicit in my re-election by acclamation.

I assure you I will most earnestly try to continue to deserve your confidence and to serve you and the whole city as well to the best of my ability.

I shall be glad if the ratepayers will tell me from time to time their thought of what should be done—bearing in mind always that the interests of the city as a whole are greater than that of a section. But I wish to know what the Ward wants. No two sections of the City have the same interests. But my special care shall be those of the Centre Ward.

Yours very respectfully, FRANK E. DOBBIN

MAYOR BULLER EXPECTS SECOND TERM

Mayor Buller expects the public advertising strongly for a second term in office, he believes the one exception in a number of years to holders of the Mayor's chair not being given a second term. Mr. Buller feels that he has filled the position satisfactorily during the year just closing, and that his record speaks for him to another term.

IN IGNORANCE OF IRISH SPIRIT AND OPINION

London, Dec. 29.—The Dublin correspondent of The Times telegraphs: "Professor Kuno Meyer's speech in New York has aroused indignation in Ireland. The dominant feeling, perhaps, is one of astonishment at Professor Meyer's complete ignorance of Irish spirit and of Irish opinion."

"If the German professor, who has known England and Ireland intimately for thirty years, can talk such nonsense, what must be the state of mind of the ordinary German official incidentally the speech is considered to be a blow at the favorite doctrine of the Gaelic enthusiasts that a profound and exact appreciation of Irish life and character may be acquired only through the medium of the Irish language."

Professor Meyer, who is teacher of Celtic languages at the University of Bonn, was one of the speakers at the gathering of Irish and German at Toronto Garden on Dec. 17th. At that

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SPONTANEOUS COMBINATION CAUSED DESTRUCTION OF THE BULWARK

London, Dec. 30.—The destruction of the British battleship Bulwark was today officially entered as an accident. The incident into the depths of practically its entire crew was completed.

and a verdict was ordered entered of accidental death. It is now accepted as certain that spontaneous combustion among the embers in one of the magazines caused the explosion which destroyed the vessel.

WILL SEND GERMAN TROOPS TO THE ITALIAN FRONTIER

London, Dec. 30.—The Morning Post's Rome correspondent telegraphs: "A German army corps is about to be sent to southern France, facing the Italian frontier, and provisions have been issued bidding the inhabitants calm the streets and prepare to welcome the Germans."

Maurice Van Renswoude's Scheme (via London), Dec. 30.—Italy's expedition in Aviano which she occupied several days ago, appears to have produced considerable irritation at Vienna according to reports from the Austrian capital. It is thought there that possibly the students of the Italian army may have disturbed plans attributed to Kaiser Von Renswoude's mission at Rome, which is said to have included an offer of southern Albania to Italy upon her agreeing to certain conditions.

Italian Police On Alert. Rome, Dec. 30.—The Italian police have been fortifying foreign residents at the hotels here, and have found a number of Germans who they may have been recruited with the purpose of goods, the organization of which is forbidden. These foreigners have been advised by the police not to carry out their mission.

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DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

What Does Spring Mean to School Children Today?

By Winifred Black

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Winifred Black

They're building a brand new kind of schoolhouse out on the Pacific coast. They have play yards like the old-fashioned play ground, and besides that they have great covered play rooms to be used in rainy weather; and there's another kind of play ground on the roof, a regular roof garden with perennials and vines and trees in tubs, and everything but waiters to make it look like the real thing.

What We "Don't" Do Now.

They don't "pass the water" any more, even in hot weather. They have hygienic filters, and everybody brings a separate cup, and there's a set and determined time for drinking, and no other time at all.

April Fun in Other Days.

No, I didn't mean slippery him. That's the thing we learned about in the history class. I meant slippery him that you stripped off the tree and covered, just because you could. Of course, you pretended you liked it, but there was nothing to it but slipperiness after all.

Useful Hints for the Housewife

By Ann Marie Lloyd

STRAWBERRIES and the style of life are contemporaneous events in American history. It was in the same year that women were wearing the quaint modes which have been revived this season with such charming success that strawberry shortcake was first introduced in the United States.

PREPARING FOR MIDDLE AGE



"Learn How to Retire Gracefully," Says Jane Cowd

By ELEANOR AMES

THE path of growing old is largely a matter of temperament. Growing old gracefully is an acquired art. Enjoy your triumphs while you may, and when, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary for you to step down from the throne which youth occupies so majestically, do it with a cheerful heart and a smiling face, and have a store of happy memories to brighten your life in another phase of existence.

Peter's Adventures in Matrimony

By Leona Dalrymple

The truth about "the girl in the case" distinguishes this new series by Miss Dalrymple. Her character studies will not appear unfamiliar to the majority of readers, who will follow the fortunes of "Peter" with growing interest.

"Well, I suggested modestly, 'I've been working some myself.' Mary looked at me for a moment, then she said, 'I didn't see just what all this discussion of summer vacation was for, while, as she usually does, I leave her to her own devices. That's a singular thing about Mary: If I show a sincere appetite for information she yields it reluctantly in unsatisfactory fragments that don't in the least explain. If I abandon the pursuit in disgust and take up my paper, she tells me the whole thing of her own accord. Another symptom of feminine perverseness, I take it.'

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Secrets of Health and Happiness

The Tone of Your Voice Seldom Shows Your Vigor

By Dr. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG

A. B. M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins).

EVERYBODY'S voice has a meaning all its own. The high-pitched, raucous voice of the law-finder or the lawyer, calling "Strawberries! Strawberries!" cannot be mistaken for the old London street cry.

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WIGS AND THEIR COST

They Vary According to the Office of the Wearer

Barriers and other officials at the London Law Courts wear wigs of different sizes and shapes, according to the position held by the wearer. The higher the office the bigger the wig. Doubtless it is from this fact that the slang term "big-wig" so often applied to those in authority, is derived. The shape and construction of a wig, the number of curls on it, or the lack of them, are prescribed by unwritten law. From the "roll-bottom" dress wig of the High Court judge, down to the much less imposing headgear of the "junior," the shape and size of every one of them, and they vary considerably, show to what position in the law the wearer has attained. The wig of the High Court judge, with the side flaps, falling over the shoulders in front, and adorned with rows of curls in plenty, is made of fine bleached horsehair, and costs from \$75 to \$100. Judges presiding over lower courts wear correspondingly shorter wigs—called in the legal profession "bob-wigs." They reach only to the tops of the ears, have no side flaps, and only two curls on each side. The cost of a "bob-wig" is from \$25 to \$50, and they are much more comfortable to wear than the more imposing sort of wig. The wig worn by a criminal judge is distinguished from that of the judge of a civil court by a small patch of black hair set in the top. The wig worn by barristers contains less horsehair and are decidedly neater-looking than those donned by judges. When a barrister attains to the dignity of putting the letters K.C. after his name, he is entitled to wear two additional curls on his wig to distinguish him from an ordinary barrister. The wig of an ordinary barrister has two little longitudinal curls over each ear; that of a King's Counsel has three rows over each ear. It is but seldom that a barrister is allowed to speak unless he is wearing his wig and his gown. The gowns worn by legal dignitaries vary as much as do their wigs. A High Court judge wears gorgeous robes made of silk, trimmed with ermine, costing anything from \$150 to \$200. On State occasions the High Court judge carries a three-cornered hat, but this is never worn by him. A K.C.'s gown is of black silk, but an ordinary barrister is not permitted to wear it. His is made of alpaca, or some such material known in the legal profession as "stuff." When a barrister has been made a King's Counsel he is called a "silk."

ROMANTIC OUTLAWS

Exploits of White Wolf Have Drawn Attention to Brigands

The exploits of White Wolf, the decorated robber chieftain of Hunan and Szechuan, who took prisoners all the members of the Lutheran Mission of Tsungying—who were rescued only after great suffering and the loss of all their belongings, has drawn attention to the question of brigands generally in China.

White Wolf is the most famous of them all. With a following of some three thousand men, he has pillaged many towns, eluding all the government's efforts to capture him. With him was formerly associated a formidable bandit named Wang Tienchung. But the government, being unable to catch him, offered him a military post and Wang accepted. He is said to have noble qualities and to be proving a very faithful servant.

A parallel case is that of the bandit Hsu Pao Han, the famous "Tiger Usa," who entered the service of the Manchua dynasty, transferred his allegiance to Yuan Shi Kai, and was ultimately blown to pieces by a bomb sent to him in a parcel just before the late rebellion. White Wolf was made a military officer, but refused.

The Largest Kitchen

It is believed that the largest kitchen in the world is that of the Hotel de Ville in Paris. It provides food for all the employees of the house, 4,000 in number. The smallest kitchen holds seventy-five quarts, the largest 275 quarts. There are fifty frying pans, each of which is capable of holding 250 cutlets at a time, or frying 220 pounds of potatoes. When there are omelets for breakfast, 7,000 eggs are used. The coffee machines make 750 quarts of coffee daily. There are sixty cooks and 100 kitchen boys employed.

Higher Voltages

A general tendency toward higher voltages in electric transmission plants is apparent. One plant, for instance, is sending current from Big Creek, Calif., to Los Angeles, 240 miles, at an initial pressure of 135,000 volts, to be raised toward 150,000 as the load demands. Keokuk's plant is regularly shooting current at 100,000 volts into St. Louis over a line more than 100 miles long.

Miss Fawcett

While an artist was "behind the scenes" after a flight by Lieutenant Fletcher, of the Royal Marine Corps, from Almerston to Chichester (over 500 miles), a mechanical device was used to secure one of the plane's instruments, which he discovered in the corner of the "nest," made from shreds of the hair, with a number of young mice in it.

KRUPP GUN WORKS A GIGANTIC CONCERN

Employs Seventy Thousand Persons at One Place—Guns of All Sizes Made

The world's greatest gun factory at Essen, Germany, employs something like 70,000 people. It is somewhat difficult to estimate the extent of the Krupp works, for, apart from the steel works and coal mines at Essen, there are iron ore mines, foundries, shipbuilding yards and steel works in other parts of Germany, also in Spain and in other countries.

There is preserved at Essen the original little Krupp workshop, where 160 years ago, Friedrich Krupp tried to make cast steel, the secret of which was guarded in England. His experiments at first were a failure. However, he managed to produce cast steel, but found that the demand was not sufficient to keep his works going.

Friedrich Krupp died in 1826 a disappointed man, but before he died he confided to his 14-year-old son Alfred the secret of making cast steel. The boy left school and worked at the crucible, and the attention of the world was first drawn to his work by his exhibits at the Great Exposition of 1851, when he showed a cast steel ingot of 4,000 pounds, and a six-pound cannon, also of cast steel. Eleven years later he showed a steel ingot nine feet high, four feet in diameter, and twenty-one tons in weight. This was his fame, and in 1861 Prussia adopted Krupp's breech-loading cannon-guns which largely contributed to the German success in the French war of 1870.

Little did Krupp dream, when telling his son the secret of making cast steel, that his little forge would grow into the giant works of to-day, which have a capital of \$45,000,000. But, although it was Alfred Krupp who laid the foundation of this great firm, it was his son Friedrich who developed it on modern lines and who extended it until because the world's greatest war factory. He died in 1902, leaving no son to carry on the management, he directed in his will that the property should pass into the possession of his eldest daughter, Bertha, to be managed as a joint stock company by a board of six members, and it was thus that Bertha Krupp became the world's greatest heiress. After her marriage her husband, who, by the Kaiser's request, assumed the name of Krupp, became president of the board.

Every miracle of machinery is to be found at the Krupp works in one or the other of the sixty-five departments, from the \$500,000 steam-hammer, "Fritz," which has a falling weight of fifty tons, and yet can descend so lightly as to crack a nut without injuring the kernel, to the 5,000-ton hydraulic press, which shapes eighty tons of crucible steel blocks as easily as tin foil.

SCOUTS OF THE AIR

Some of the Disadvantages of Dirigibles—Aeroplane Fly Higher

So striking is the part played by aircraft in the war that army officers of neutral nations already are calling the attention of their Governments to the fact that no army is fully equipped or prepared for war if the new air arm has been neglected.

In The Journal of the Royal Artillery of Great Britain there appeared in a recent issue an article on the importance of aircraft in war, by Col. H. S. Massey of the British Army, one of the leading English authorities on military aeronautics.

"The armies and navies of the world," Col. Massey said, "have now at their disposal three classes of aircraft which before long they will be able to use effectively for offensive as well as defensive purposes. These three classes of aircraft are the airship, the aeroplane, and the zeppelin. The airship, as you know, derives its 'lifting power' or sustentation, from the light hydrogen gas inclosed within one or more gas-tight bags or envelopes. If we remember that it requires about thirteen cubic feet of hydrogen—which is the lightest gas known—to lift one pound weight into the air, we can easily realize that airships, if they have to carry a numerous crew, must of necessity be very bulky. The great size of the airship is naturally a disadvantage; and in order to be fairly safe from special artillery fire, airships must be made to travel comfortably at a height of at least 5,000 feet.

Aeroplane and zeppelins, on the other hand, deriving their sustentation from the action of the air on their wings, can be made much smaller, more compact, and stronger than airships. Whereas a given type of airship carrying a certain load must be made to travel at greater altitudes only by increasing its bulk, an aeroplane is made to rise higher by increasing the power of its engine.

"The increase in the size of an airship leads to a considerable increase in the 'dead weight' to be lifted, as well as to a decrease in the strength of an aeroplane leads, generally speaking, to a stronger construction and to a much easier machine. It is the motor is reliable and possesses sufficient flexibility, that is, capable of giving a wide range of power. These advantages of the aeroplane and of the zeppelin over the airship would seem sufficient to decrease the value of the latter as a war weapon."

Identifying German Soldiers. A feature of the German military system is the requirement that all soldiers on active service should wear around their necks labels with their names, regiment, and rank. In the event of desertion these are used for purposes of identification.

The Largest War

Following is a list of the time occupied in the construction of the big structures of the past five or six years:

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A RAID UNLIKELY FROM ACROSS LINE

Canada Probably Has Little to Fear From Germans Living in the United States

The danger of raids into Canadian territory by German sympathizers in the United States is one of the chief topics of the present war which the Canadian "Militia Department" guarded against on the first news of hostilities in Europe. Sections of regiments are on guard at practically all points where vandalism could cause serious damage. Canal gates, bridges, docks, elevators, etc., are under the rifles of Canadian militiamen.

Many of the stories of attempted destruction resolved into hallucinations, but there remained sufficient evidence to prepare the Militia Department for trouble. From two points rumors came regarding conspiracies to break vessels on the Canadian property and at other points, Buffalo and Ogdensburg, assurances were received from the local police authorities that their vigilance may be relied upon to shoot the plans of any marauding expeditions. Following is a letter received from Michael Regan, Superintendent of Police at Buffalo:

"In reference to the possibility of 'German-Americans' raiding Canada now that England and Germany are in a state of war, I see nothing in conditions here that would warrant such action. The great majority of German-Americans are among the best of our law-abiding citizens, and while they are deeply attached to the 'Fatherland,' have too much sense to attempt the capture of Canada. This Government would soon quash such a movement if attempted. Of course, there are cracks in all communities and as individuals they may be tempted to go over and commit some rash act, but as for a general raid, nothing to it."

Following is a letter from M. T. Power, Chief of Police of Ogdensburg, N.Y.:

"Canadian need have no ground for alarm in the matter of German-Americans raiding Canada. Boundary points in this section. German-Americans and all other Americans are peaceably disposed and do not in any wise intend to violate any of the neutrality laws, as near as I can ascertain."

The only source of trouble, in the opinion of most Canadians, is the pro-German "crack" referred to by Superintendent Regan, of Buffalo, and against his regulations every precaution has been taken. All troops now on guard in Canada are under orders to challenge all strangers and have liberty to fire on any who disobey.

MOTIONLESS UNDER FIRE

Soldier's Most Awful Test—Relief Comes When Word Charge is Given

Every one must have wondered how he would feel in battle for the first time. We may get some idea of how the average man feels under such circumstances from a study of the psychology of battle, published in Italy. Lieut.-Col. Mangiarotti of the Seventy-seventh Infantry carefully examined more than 3,000 soldiers who first faced fire in the recent war between Italy and Turkey, and he summarizes their statements in the Rivista Militare. He questioned them by one.

Out of 3,000 men 1,700 confessed that their most trying moment in the whole campaign was when they first heard hostile bullets whistling about their ears. But almost all of them said they were much less frightened than they had expected to be, and that the scare diminished with each battle.

The average soldier finds the most terrifying position to be that of standing motionless in the front rank, exposed to the enemy's fire without being able to reply. The order to advance or to charge with fixed bayonets is then received as a release from agony. Movement, even late greater peril, distracts the mind and greatly reduces the mental anguish.

Soldiers are seriously affected by the trembling of their superiors. An officer who shakes in his shoes is a coward in the eyes of the rank and file, although the men know that many military heroes—Hearst IV, Fureaux and Frederick the Great, for instance—trembled on going into a fight.

Colonel Mangiarotti says that of 300 men who understood this feeling. This is especially true of the fact that in battle all officers from captains upward are non-existent so far as the common soldiers are concerned. They keep their eyes on their lieutenants, and this was it that was brought out when Colonel Mangiarotti asked the men what sentiment animated them when the bullets were falling all round them—was it love of country, religion, their oath of fidelity to their King? "I went ahead," they replied almost unthinkingly, "because my lieutenant went ahead."

It seems that once the battle is on and the first feeling of terror has vanished soldiers feel as if set free. The fever of combat takes possession of them and they think about nothing else.

Small Farms in War Zone. Most of the Belgian farms are small. A 50-acre farm in Belgium is looked upon as very large. Less than two thousand Belgian landowners own more than 250 acres apiece. More than in England, perhaps, the Belgian buys land for an investment pure and simple without an eye to social position or any intention of cultivating it. He lets it at a rate equivalent to the current rate of interest on the purchase money.

London's Private Wells

The Metropolitan Water Board not long ago issued a report stating that it loses \$300,000 a year on account of the number of private wells in existence in London.

Many of the largest hotels, public baths, and banks, including the Bank of England, have their own wells, a fact which would be of considerable importance in case the water supply of the metropolis should be interrupted by the enemy.

Wellington Campaign Plans

The map round on a captured Uthman marked with the prearranged marches of the German troops reminds one of the Wellington campaign plans of Napoleon. Asked on one occasion how he managed to capture Napoleon's marshals one after the other, he replied: "They planned their campaigns just as you might make a splendid set of harness. It looks very well, it answers very well, until it gets broken and then you're done for. Now, I made my campaign of ropes. If anything went wrong, I tied a knot and went on."

Fire Insurance in Canada

There are only twenty-one Canadian fire companies reporting to the Dominion Government which are Canadian in the true sense that they are owned by Canadian shareholders. There are twenty-four British companies and thirty-one American and foreign companies.

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A Possibility of the Future, a Woman's Invention

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In order that you may use this good judgment it is absolutely necessary that you investigate and analyze a company thoroughly before placing your money in its shares.

In order that you may do this in the case of the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., we hereby give you the information we have secured through our rigid investigation and analysis of said company, and in giving this information we would say that we believe it is correct in every detail.

(1) The British Canadian Oil, Ltd., is incorporated for \$1,000,000; 10,000,000 shares at the par value of 10c.

(2) About 500,000 shares of the stock have already been sold, and are now in the hands of the investing public.

(3) The Directors' and Officers' stock is all paid.

(4) The Company is the holder of petroleum and natural gas leases on over 7,000 acres of land in the Province of Alberta.

(5) The Directors, Officers and Solicitors of the Company are all reliable and conscientious business men who have the welfare of the company at heart, and who desire in every manner in their power to give the public a square run for their money.

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(10) The treasury of the Company is now well financed.

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(12) A reputable petroleum engineer in reply to an enquiry from us, stated that the lease held by the British Canadian Oil, Ltd., in Section 31, is situated on the most perfect anticline he has seen in Western Alberta.

(13) British Canadian shares are listed on the three Calgary exchanges, and are very active traders.

(14) The price of British Canadian shares is very low at the present time; we expect to see it go much higher.

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THE REFRIGERATOR NEEDS PROPER CARE

Some Hints as to How to Get the Best Results and How to Improve an Old One

Refrigerators are supposed to be necessary to the preservation of food, but many times, through carelessness, they are exactly the opposite.

A good (not necessarily an expensive) refrigerator is a profitable investment; but, unless one knows or studies it from all sides, in, out, up, and down, we often find a refrigerator in a very expensive house furnishing.

The best arranged are those having the ice chamber one side, with a swinging door. This space should be large enough to store at least 125 pounds of ice, and the ice chamber should not be opened.

Ice is wasted by constant contact with warm air from outside. There never should be any food kept in this ice space. The only things permissible are the water bottles, which should be filled and laid inside.

If you contemplate purchasing a new refrigerator do not overlook the fact that if the lining is white you can detect the slightest mold or any other dirt which might be neglected on a dark surface.

The ice chamber, if one is careful not to place any food in it, may be kept in perfect condition with a thorough cleaning once a week. Remove the ice and the bags it rests on. Do not use warm water. Take cool water, with any of the cleaning powder or a little ammonia, and wipe every inch and corner of the space, and flush the pipe with cold water. A little cold water will not flush the pipe; you need a force or a deluge of water which will act like a torrent to sweep the drain pipe of anything it may contain.

All food should be kept covered. The milk of different brands of eggs are most valuable in the refrigerator. Milk bottles should be kept closed with a paper cap or a cap turned over the top of it.

Not enough thought or knowledge is given to the drainage or waste pipe. Many drain pipes connect directly with the sewer system of our houses. This is very unsafe. The only safe way to do this is to have a reliable plumber arrange the pipes so there may be no direct connection between the sewer and where food is kept.

The old wooden-lined box may be refurnished and the inside may be refurnished by giving the entire inside a coat of lime. Wash the entire inside with a strong solution of soda water. Dry in the sun, if possible; if not, leave open until perfectly dry. Mix a quart of quicklime with water to a consistency of cream. Apply with a wide paint brush to every part of the lining. This will be satisfactory if used on the dark side lining. If the first coat does not make the inside white, use it a second time. The lining wash. If the refrigerator is in good condition, and the lining is of a fine and has become dark colored, give the entire inside two or three coats of this strong solution of soda water.

Do not thoroughly dry each time before applying a second or third coat. The cleanliness and drainage of our refrigerators may affect our whole household.

If the ice box is damp, a bowl containing a lump of unslacked lime (the size of an egg or a cup placed on top of itself will absorb much of the moisture.

Every housewife should inspect her refrigerator every day if she wishes to keep her food sweet, her grocery bills small and the health of her family good.

CAN YOU FALL EASILY?

Let Every Muscle Relax and You Will Break no Bones

"A special providence hovers over drunken men and children." This saying is frequently heard, but perhaps the majority of persons never thought that it really had some foundation.

As a matter of fact, the main cause of bone breakage from falls is due to the resistance of the tendons more often than from the violence of the shock.

A child or an intoxicated person rarely ever makes any great effort to recover balance in case of slipping or tripping over. So no special resisting force is exercised, and the child or adult simply sinks into a heap without serious injury.

On the other hand, when an adult, with his faculties alive and working normally, falls, he attempts to save himself. He goes through all sorts of contortions and draws up every muscle and muscle until it is tense. Then if the wrench or shock caused by falling is too severe, the bone breaks.

Just a Link

In this to the next day.
A day that passeth slow;
A day that burdeneth thy heart
With some new weight of woe?

Be patient. Know that this day is in life's lengthening chain.
A necessary link between
Joy's past and joy to come again.

Kitchen Comforts

Have a high stool in the kitchen, preferably one with revolving top. Set down while preparing vegetables. A man who has been out of the kitchen for a long time, it may be used to lift hot bottles, pull sauce pans from fire and will assist, without burned fingers, in turning pies and cakes in oven.

When rinsing children's clothes, add a little alum to the water, in this renders them less liable to catch fire.

There are women in Norway who are so strong as to catch a man who has 275,000 women voters.

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FILTH IN MANSION

Indian Princess Had Weird Notion of Housekeeping

Mr. Isaac Nathaniel Lyons, of Hyde Park street, London, let his house furnished to the Dowager Maharajah of Cochin Behar for 3 months for \$1,500. He complained to the Official Referee that the house and furniture had been damaged, and he claimed the replacing or restoration of carpets, walls, rugs, etc. Mrs. Lyons said they found the house in a terrible condition when the Maharajah left.

"Were the blankets clean when you left?" was asked. "Yes, there was a new supply."

"Were there any animals about—insects, fleas, or anything of that sort?" "Certainly not."

"Were the blankets clean when you returned?"

"Nothing was clean," added Mrs. Lyons, on the dining room carpets; the curtains and walls were splashed with grease, and walls damaged by matches being struck on them. The music room carpet looked as if a bottle of ink had been sprinkled over it.

Miss Frances Lyons detailed the breakages to the glass. She said there were twelve tumblers, twelve goblets, seven champagne glasses, seven sherry glasses, eighteen liqueur glasses, six finger bowls, two port glasses, two claret glasses, four ice plates, and one claret jug broken.

A valuable statue, weighing 600 pounds, and representing Hereward the Wake, had been dragged, like other things, from one part of the house to another. The base of the statue was injured, as also was the floor over which it had been dragged. The walls looked as if orange juice had been squirted over them.

Mr. Lyons said he assumed that there had been cooking in the drawing room from marks on the floor and the carpet. The color of the carpet had faded. China ornaments had disappeared from a cabinet. The case was not finished.

Parrot Knew His Owner

A parrot's name had been a vexed question of ownership at Tottenham Police Court, when a bird fancier named Britton was summoned by Mrs. Alice Evans for detaining her pet.

Mrs. Evans said the parrot's name was Bobby. He used to open the door of his cage and follow her about. One day something was said about Bobby's wings being clipped and he flew out of the window. Eight months later he had been seen in the window of Mr. Britton's shop. He took his father and mother there, and when they said "Bobby" the parrot screamed. Mr. Evans put his mouth to the cage, and "Bobby" kissed him just as he used to do.

Mr. Britton produced the bird. He said it was very emaciated when he bought it from a boy, and he had cared for it. The parrot screamed and again kissed Mr. Evans, to whom the magistrate ordered it to be given up on payment of \$3.00 to Mr. Britton for its keep and his care.

Motor Car and Motor Boat

Mr. L. C. Lambert, of Dracynap, has succeeded in building a combination motor car and motor boat. The craft has already undergone successful trials around and on Loch Lomond. Ashore the vehicle is driven in the normal way as a motor car, while when in the water the power is disconnected from the wheels and applied to a screw propeller at the stern. Steering is by wheel, the same as on land, a flat piece of wood attached to one of the front wheels acting as a rudder.

Relic of Charles I.

Many Royal relics are not above suspicion, but the Southampton Corporation museum has acquired an unquestioned and remarkable relic of Charles I. in the form of a heart-shaped locket bearing upon one side the legend: "Prepared to follow me," the initials C. R. (Charles Rex), and a death's head. On the reverse side is a heart pierced with two arrows and the wording: "I live and die in loyalty." Inside the locket is fastened a silver medallion portrait of the martyr King.

Cockfighting for County Honors
Cockfighting, which lasted from three o'clock in the morning until ten, took place at Hallymacully, county Antrim, in the presence of about 100 persons, many of whom travelled long distances on motor cars and motor cycles. The "battles" absorbed seven, and concerned the question as to which was the superior cockfighting county—Armagh or Monaghan. Monaghan won five out of seven battles.

Mrs. Mary Ford, of Southbank Cottage, Halesham, England, died recently aged 100.

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"THE NEW BABY"

Coddling and Cuddling the Little Ones
is Forbidden

Tossed fathers and tortured mothers and testy aunts met together under the auspices of the "Duty and Discipline Movement" to discuss "the baby problem" in their various baby relatives. The chief discussant of the day centered round the problem of producing babies who do not cry. The disciplinarians of the "movement" are convinced that it can be done.

The Duty and Discipline Movement has produced quantities of pamphlets which are translated for the benefit of the Burmese. The Burmese are much more responsive than we are in our "ridiculous sentimental excesses," as one speaker called ordinary maternal kindnesses. So they are the recipients of such pamphlets as "That Rebel, My Daughter," or "The Practice of Punishment."

Nursery drill is one of the "disciplines" advocated by the movement. "Coddling and cuddling" is to be abolished. "There is no occasion for babies to cry," said an octogenarian, and added that crying was a source of unhappiness to babies. "Non-crying children recover from their illnesses" is one eugenic maxim which the Duty and Discipline Movement is trying to spread among parents.

ROYAL PICTURE SHOW

Movies May be Established in Buckingham Palace

The keen interest which the Royal Family have of late displayed in connection with cinematograph entertainment is likely to result in private picture palaces being established at Buckingham Palace and Windsor Castle. Arrangements are at the present time being made for providing the Royal palaces with appliances of their own, in order to permit of films being shown at short notice.

The King and Queen recognize in film pictures a development which has obvious elements of permanent interest and value, and they are desirous of enabling the younger generation to benefit fully by this source of information and enjoyment. There may be an electric projector provided for use at the Royal residence as required, in the manner already adopted by one of the Rothschilds for the display of films privately taken under amateur conditions; but this has not yet been settled, it being felt that operators necessarily prefer to use their own projecting instruments.

A film library, however, is to be formed gradually, to include examples of such subjects as the Coronation, Durbar, and other incidents in Royal history, which it is desired to preserve in this form for reproduction in after years.

ZOO SNAKE BITE

Keeper's Escape From Rattlesnake Which He Was Transferring

A rattlesnake's bite has been successfully dealt with at the Middlesex Hospital.

An under-keeper at the Zoological Gardens in transferring a newly arrived rattlesnake from its travelling box to a cage temporarily exposed his hand and was bitten on two fingers.

After efficient first aid by the "Zoo" officials the man was removed to the Middlesex Hospital. But active measures were taken to minimize shock and keep up his vitality, and in less than ten days he was able to leave for a convalescent home.

It is supposed that the venomous snake failed to inject more than a small proportion of the usual dose of poison, because where the bite is successful the victim usually succumbs in less than a quarter of an hour.

Half Thirty Feet Without Injury
Agnes Blair, three years of age, riding with her parents, had a miraculous escape from serious injury. The child climbed on to a chair to look over the window, and, overbalancing herself, fell into the back seat, a distance of fully 30 feet. A doctor who examined the little girl stated that apart from slight shock and a bruise on the right cheek she had a fortunate escape.

Great Throat Metastasis
When Herbert Thorpe, a Cumberland manufacturer, was fined \$25 and sent to Huddersfield for dangerous motorizing, the police said that but for their intervention he would have been strangled by a crowd. He knocked down a policeman, Joe Stoney, and when he left his car the crowd threatened him. His license was suspended for six months.

Decrease in Emigration
The official returns for Ireland show that in the last six months there was a decrease in emigration of 5,000, this applying to each province. Under heading with 1,507.

Winter Approaching

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ABOUT WOOD-FILLERS

The Man Who Works About the Home Needs This Information

Open-grained woods require paste fillers, being "hard woods." The varieties most in use are ash, beech, butternut, baywood, black walnut, chestnut, elm, mahogany, oak and rosewood.

Close-grained woods such as bass, cedar, redwood, gum, poplar, spruce and whitewood are filled with liquid fillers, being soft woods.

There is another group of woods that occupy an intermediate place, being open-grained woods, namely, pine, which are sometimes filled with paste fillers, sometimes with liquid fillers, and some oaks are very open-grained and require filling with a paste filler and a stiff paste.

Comparison of the paste filler is to be made in the filling of the filler, the liquid part of the filler being the filler and so to some extent penetrating the wood, the paste filler over the liquid is best.

In any case the idea is to form a permanent foundation for the filler, the filler coats that are to follow.

A filler should be colored to match the wood; but should be made a shade or darker. The following is a very good formula for making a paste filler: Mix two parts of best coach japan and three parts of raw linseed oil, both by weight. To this liquid add enough finely pulverized silica to form a stiff paste. The mass needs to be thoroughly mixed.

A white liquid filler is sometimes desirable, and the following is a good formula for making a white filler: Mix two pounds of pale powdered rosin, and place in a suitable vessel on the stove until the rosin has melted, stirring occasionally. Then remove from the fire and add one pint of white japan and two quarts of turpentine; stir well, then add turpentine; when cold, stir in eight ounces of turpentine and pass it through a strainer.

ARTIFICIAL PEARLS

Most of Them Merely Glass Beads With Lustrous Coating Inside

The industry of manufacturing artificial pearls has developed enormously in late years, both in extent and in the remarkable degree of perfection which these imitations of the natural gem have attained, some of them almost defying detection under the closest scrutiny of the keenest experts.

The simplest forms are uniformly spherical and are merely glass beads blown by means of tubes of varying size. More ingenious and more natural-looking are the irregular pearls or pearls grotesques. To produce these the workman sometimes merely touches the ball with a heated wire, or a red-hot tube, thus melting the glass at the point of contact and drawing it out irregularly. In other cases he touches one spot or another of the ball to a flame, the same time blowing gently in the tube. The ball is pierced by the breath of the workman, and the other by the hollow tube, the tube at the moment when this is detached from the pearl by means of a slight tap.

These beads are then merely coated inside with a preparation known as "essence of the Orient." This, despite its elaborate title, consists merely of pure water, holding in solution the scales of the little fish known as the black-fish. The operation consists in the sucking of the liquid into a tube drawn out to a fine point and then blowing it into the glass bead, which then gives a rotary motion to spread the coating evenly.

The beads when coated are placed in a sieve whose bottom is covered with parchment and shaken incessantly till dry. Finally they are dried with wax so as to be less fragile and a little heavier.

Grief-stricken Horse
An extraordinary story of a horse's sorrow for the death of his master comes from a village in the north of County Antrim. When the man died the animal was out at grass. A few days later it broke out of the field, and went to the graveyard, a mile and a half away. The animal endeavored to get in, but was unsuccessful. It then broke into a field adjoining the side of the cemetery, and made desperate efforts to climb the wall separating it from the master's grave. It was taken away and locked in the stable, where it was found dead the following morning.

Children Poisoned by Cake
A plan of poisoned cake, supposed to have been placed in the street by some miscreant, was found by four Portsmouth children. They ate the cake, and all four at once developed symptoms of poisoning. They were taken to the hospital, where Harriet Louise Roberts, aged ten, died.

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AMUSING THE LITTLE ONES

Useful Instruction Can be Given in Guise of Play

It is not very difficult to keep the children busy and happy at home during the evening if a little careful thought is given the matter by the grown ups.

Just one general thing must be observed. If the boys and girls have homework to do, this must be done before they start to spend the evening in any other way; otherwise, it probably will not get done at all.

Dolls and soldiers—those ever popular children's toys—offer endless ways of making time fly.

Start new ways of playing with them—play which has an undercurrent of instruction. For example, you can have a doll's washing night once a week, when the children learn how to wash dolls' clothes in the right way. The latter part is important.

Instead of letting the children make a great mess with soap and water, mother should tell them how it is done—guide them in the intricacies of washing and show the difference in washing flannels and cotton things; teach them how to starch and iron things, and so on.

The children will love doing it, and at the same time they will be learning something that will be of the very greatest use to them in later life.

Dolls also can have a party, which will teach the children the simple laws of hospitality; while if dolls happen to be ill there is an excellent opportunity for learning how to behave in a sick room.

What about "playing battles"? rarely fails to charm and can be developed to a large extent. Never a camp may be started and the order of camp life instilled into the children's minds; while if dolls happen to be ill there is an excellent opportunity for learning how to behave in a sick room.

It is quite a good plan to teach boys and girls to make a good dinner for a family, and let them have a weekly practice night "on their own." Make a rule that they put away all the things they use when they are finished, and see that the cooking is done correctly. It is just as much fun as doing it in the wrong way, and gives far more all-round pleasure.

It seems to be always a good thing to encourage the spirit of thoughtfulness for others in children; and it is rather a nice idea to have occasional long evenings devoted to doing things for children who are worse off than themselves. All sorts of odds and ends—matchboxes, spoons, and what not—can be turned into delightful toys by the children, and will give much pleasure to some poor child.

NEW LIFE FOR RIBBONS

If Soiled or Faded There Are Ways of Restoring Them

There is an expert way to do so small a thing as washing ribbons. The easiest, and perhaps the safest way is to put the ribbon into a fruit jar, fill the jar two-thirds full of ammonia or gasoline and shake for at least five minutes. The ribbon out and rinse in another jar of clean gasoline or naphtha. These jars may be kept, if tightly covered for future use.

After rinsing, draw the ribbon out straight and wind evenly around a large jar or smooth crock, set in draught, until dry. Do not iron.

Black ribbons, if not too faded may be refreshed by soaking in alcohol or strong borax water; if very dirty wash in warm water with little soap bar, in place of soap. Rinse in warm water, dry quickly, stretch on cloth covered table, tacking ribbon tight at each end.

Light shades of ribbon may be cleaned by rubbing them with cornmeal slightly dampened with gasoline. Lay ribbon on clean cloth on underside of ironing board and rub ribbon on both sides until perfectly clean. Hang out in shade to dry.

Pink or cream colored ribbons that are only slightly soiled may be cleaned by rubbing them with fine bread crumbs. Do not roll or crease.

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ACTORS RISK LIVES BEFORE THE CAMERA

Hair-raising Tricks Performed to Make Moving Pictures Really Sensational

Each big film-producing company includes amongst its artists a number of nerve-hardened players who are specially engaged to take huge risks in carrying out sensational exploits which add realism to spectacular moving pictures.

These men are mostly retired acrobats and circus riders. One of the most risky and consequently best paid occupations in the "movie" world is that pursued by a number of men who specialize in falling off galloping horses in spectacular Indian or war films. There are also men who attempt feats that even the most hardened rough rider would hesitate to perform.

Throwing themselves from the saddle when galloping in the midst of a horde of riders, they will lay perfectly motionless on the ground, although running a terrible risk of being trampled on by the hoofs of the other charging animals. Another well-known actor, who, in addition to possessing nerve and athletic skill, has his powers of timing well developed, earns a good deal of money through a sensational drop from an express train.

He utilizes this performance in several ways. Sometimes he poses as an escaped convict who endeavors to escape the clutches of the law by a daring jump from an express. On other occasions he indulges in a struggle with another actor on the roof of a moving car, eventually being flung off the train into space.

The manner in which this player accomplishes with safety this daring leap is to fall into a lake that runs at the side of the railway track, for the train only he does this trick always travels over the same piece of line.

A favorite sensational incident in connection with dramatic films is the falling of a vehicle—generally a motor car—over a precipice. Many believe that a dummy figure sits at the wheel of the car when it plunges into space. This is not the case, however, for a real actor usually does remain in the vehicle when it leaves terra firma. Quite a number of daring actors are capable of performing this feat with out serious injury to themselves. They actually fall over a fairly steep cliff in a car, but just before it crashes to the ground they leap clear into a patch of sand to safety. The motor car is invariably smashed up.

One film-producing company employs an artist solely for his ability to leap extraordinary distances sideways from a horse's back.

When traveling on horseback over a narrow bridge, he gives a violent sideward spring, which carries him over the parapet of the bridge down to the stream below. This plucky actor has few rivals in the portrayal of this hair-raising deed, for should his spring not be well-judged he could easily sustain some serious injury by crashing up against the masonry of the bridge. This is a favorite trick of J. P. McGowan, who, he may be said to be a dispatch rider for Lord Kitchener in South Africa.

OUR BODIES AND HEAT

We Drink Liquid That Would Scald Our Hands

The human body can stand far greater heat if it be dry than if it be wet, and, strangely enough, it can stand far hotter liquids inside than out. For example, the average tea-drinker sips tea at a temperature of about 160 degrees, sometimes as high as 175 degrees. But he cannot bear his feet in water hotter than 112 degrees. Few people can stand a bath in water at 105 degrees.

In parts of Central Australia men live in an average temperature of 115 degrees in the shade and 140 degrees in the sun, while 151 degrees has been registered in the Persian Gulf. The thermometers on ships vary between 122 degrees and 240. An explorer in the Himalayas reports that he found in December, and at more than 10,000 feet altitude, a temperature of 131 degrees.

Dr. Bleyden and Chantrey, two English scientists, desiring to ascertain how high a temperature the human body could stand, shut themselves in an oven, of which the heat was gradually raised, and they were able to bear it until the thermometer registered 212 degrees, the boiling point of water.

While canoeing in the Blackwater at Headford Kells, Lady Headford and a visitor, Miss Myerberg, had a narrow escape from drowning by the overturning of their craft. Happily Captain Williams and Captain Kingsman, who were boating in the vicinity, effected their rescue.

Canal Traction

A German government engineer has invented a new system of canal traction, rails laid on the bottom of a canal, engaging rollers on bottom of boats, which can be driven by steam or electricity.

By forcing native laborers in the island of Principe, in Portuguese West Africa, to carry cloths covered with glue on their backs when working in places infested by flies, sleeping sickness has been successfully combated in the island. The glue is dark, and is the same color as the native's skin.

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